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CARRANZA WARNS CALIFORNIANS NOT TO INVEST AT TIJUANA

Villa Concession For Race Gambling Joint Will Not be Honored by Mexican Government

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—The Mexican department of foreign affairs directed Ramon de Negri, Mexican consul general here today, to notify San Franciscans who are said to have backed financially the construction and maintenance of a race track at Tinjuana, Lower California, that the Mexican authorities would not permit the operation of a race track or any other form of gambling.

"I have heard that A. B. Spreckels is one of the men interested in the Tinjuana project," said Consul Negri today. "If I find this information to be true, I shall inform him that General Carranza will not permit the tracks to operate. The Mexican consul at San Diego has received similar instructions."

A. B. Spreckels admitted today that he was interested in the project, but said he had not heard of General Carranza's reported objections.

"I am not the principal stockholder," he said. "We got permission from the government of Lower California. More than $250,000 will be spent on the plant. Alberto Madero, a brother of former President Francisco Madero, also is interested in the track."

Consul de Negri said that, according to his information, the racetrack concession was granted by Colonel Esteban Cantu, self-styled dictator of Lower California. Cantu has granted such concessions freely, de Nigri said, but without any authority or legal right to do so.

The consul further stated that plans to build and operate a gambling resort along the lines of Monte Carlo, also were under way.

UNITED STATES AND REPUBLICS OF LATIN-AMERICA RECOGNIZE GOVERNMENT OF CARRANZA

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico will be formally renewed tomorrow, after a lapse of two years and eight months, with the formal recognition of Venustiano Carranza as the chief executive of the de facto government of Mexico.

Secretary Lansing and the ambassadors from Brazil, Chile and Argentina and the ministers from Bolivia, Uruguay and Gautemala, constituting the Pan-American conference on Mexican affairs, today decided upon the form in which their respective governments would present recognition and fixed tomorrow as the time to act. Afterward Secretary Lansing made this announcement:

"The conferees, under instruction from their respective governments, will recognize tomorrow the de facto government of Mexico, of which General Carraza is the chief executive."

Each government will address to General Carranza a letter or note of recognition to be delivered to Eliseo Arredondo, personal representative of General Carranza here. Arredondo, who is a first cousin of Carranza, will leave here Wednesday or Thursday to convey in person the letters of recognition from the several governments.

Pan-Americans Quit

With the decision on the form of recognition, the Pan-American conference on Mexican affairs adjourned. Five meetings in all had been held, the first two being devoted to framing an appeal to the contending Mexican factions to reach an agreement on their internal affairs. In view of the important developments, the conference decided that recognition should be accorded to the strongest faction.

Since recognition was agreed on a week ago, official reports show that a material change for the better has taken place in Mexico; that railroads and telegraph lines are being rapidly repaired and that conditions are fast becoming normal in many places. Thousands of troops hitherto under General Villa have taken advantage of the offer of amnesty and laid down their arms, and Secretary Lansing and the Pan-American diplomats feel that a fair start has been made toward restoration of peace and reconstruction, the success of which depends now upon the administrative ability of General Cadranza and his advisers.

Assurances have been given by Carranza that foreigners will be protected in their lives and property, that claims will be paid, that amnesty will be given to political enemies who swear allegiance to the new government, and that there will be no persecutions of the clergy. The American government is hopeful that these promises will be fulfilled.

Will Place Embargo

Tomorrow's action will mean the immediate proclamation of an embargo on arms in connection with the joint resolution passed by Congress in March, 1912. All consular representatives of the Carranza government will be recognized in their official capacity as soon as they present credentials and apply for exequaturs. American consuls in Mexico who have not possessed exequaturs will apply for them now, and it is understood incidentally that the American consular service in Mexico generally will be reorganized.

European governments will be notified by Secretary Lansing of the Washington government's action in extending recognition, and although no suggestion will be made to them, it is understood most of them will follow the lead of the United States.

An American ambassador to Mexico has not yet been selected, but it is understood that one of the diplomatic representatives of the United States already in one of the Latin-American countries probably will be chosen.

SUSPECT SHIP TO BE GERMAN FREEBOOTER

Colombia Authorities Detain American Yacht With Large Crew

BOGOTA, Colombia, Oct. 18. — An American yacht bound from San Francisco, with the name Academy painted over the name Ethel, and carrying an unusually large crew, is being detained by government authorities near Buenaventura, a Colombian port on the Pacific, under suspicious circumstances.

According to Colombian officials, the vessel's papers are irregular. The German name of the master of the ship, it is understood, has been erased from the papers and an American name substituted.

The yacht was searched but nothing was found to indicate the mission of the crew. The vessel will be detained until her legal status has been established.

British Complain

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18. — British agents in this country recently reported they believed some yachts were being outfitted in California waters on the Atlantic coast, to be manned by German crews, to attack tank shipscarrying fuel oil from the Mexican fields for the British navy. Their report was soon followed by the disappearance of the German sailors from the cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm in a yacht from the Norfolk navy yard. A small yacht which outfitted at Pensacola, Fla., also was the subject of investigation. Another, they reported, was being prepared for sea in the Gulf of California.

Making for Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18. — The six missing petty officers and seamen from the interned German cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm at Norfolk, are now believed to be making their way to Cuba. The navy department has received the report of a ship captain who saw the power boat Eclipse off Virginia Beach last Monday.

WILSON TO CAMPAIGN FOR DEFENSE PROGRAM

First Speech to Be Made in New York On November 4

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—President Wilson will open his campaign for his national defense program in a speech before the Manhattan Club in New York on the evening of November 4. It will be the President's first public utterance on the subject since he approved the plans prepared by Secretary Garrison and Secretary Daniels, and the speech is expected to be of significance because the President is expected to disclose the reasons he will urge upon Congress why the United States should be more adequately prepared for defense.

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18. — The American schooner Academy, reported detained near Buenaventura, Colombia, sailed from here June 21, in ballast with a crew of nine men for Callao, Peru. Her master was Captain L. J. Behn.

The Academy was a white painted schooner of 87 tons, 80 feet long, with a beam of 25 feet and a depth of 3 feet. Normally she carried a crew of about six men. Shipping records showed she was purchased in 1913 by Captain William Peters of San Francisco, who was not known in shipping circles here. The vessel has been running to the South Sea Islands and Mexican ports.

TRAIN HELD UP; ROBBERS FIGHT POLICE

NEW YORK, Oct. 18. — Six men held up and robbed a West Shore train in Haverstraw and then escaped in an automobile, according to a telephone message received from the police in Weehawken, N. J., late tonight.

After holding up the train crew, the robbers detached the engine and had it run down the track, while others opened the baggage car and removed a large number of packages. All then jumped into the automobile and started toward this city.

Detectives, heavily armed, were dispatched from this city to watch the Fort Lee ferry, and other points along the Hudson.

A report of a pitched battle between armed bandits and the New Jersey police reached the local police.

Police reserves from several precincts adjacent to the Fort Lee ferry and other points in the upper end of Manhattan island were turned out to await the possible arrival of the robbers. Every incoming automobile was stopped and searched. Police were stationed at all ferry boat landings on the New York side of the river.

A report received here was that three trains were held up.

ARMENIAN CORPS TO HELP ALLIES

Plan to Recruit in Asia, Africa, Europe and America

LONDON, Oct. 18, 10:10 p. m.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Petrograd says.

"Captain Torcom is planning to raise volunteer corps from the Armenians now residing in the Balkans, Egypt, Italy, France, Great Britain and the United States to fight in the ranks of the allies against Turkey.

"In an appeal with this end in view, Captain Torcom says the Armenians have been unable to prevent the massacre of Armenians in Asia Minor by the Turks, but that those living in other countries can help fight Turkey and that the allied powers will not refuse them the right and honor of joining in their war against their oppressors.

"Captain Torcom's plan provides for the formation of a maximum of thirty battalions and a minimum of ten battalions. Captain Torcom was wounded during the recent fighting in Galicia, but is now able to leave the hospital and is about to start for London to get his plan in operation."

BLACKMAILER IS FOUND GUILTY

Cunningham Introduces No New Evidence in Self Defense

(Special to the Republican)

MODESTO, Oct. 18.—W. G. Cunningham, alias "Big Bill Lloyd," of Spokane, was convicted by a jury this afternoon in Justice W. C. Rice's court on the charge of attempting to extort $3,000 by blackmail methods from Mrs. Lulu R. Evans, wife of Dr. C. W. Evans, in whose home he was captured on the afternoon of October 2, through a trap in which the doctor, Sheriff George Davis and Senator L. J. Maddux, were witnesses to the entire bargaining.

The jury brought in a verdict of guilty after being out but 15 minutes. Time of sentence was waived, and a term of six months in jail was imposed. Attorney E. H. Zion, counsel for Cunningham, immediately filed notice of appeal from the judgement, which will take the case to the Superior court to be tried.

The witnesses for the prosecution were Mrs. Evans, Dr. Evans, Senator Maddux, who assisted District Attorney J. M. Cross in the prosecution, Sheriff George Davis, and Miss Irene Wise, Mrs. Evans' maid. Cunningham did not go on the stand, or offer any witness in his defense.

The testimony showed that Cunningham, representing himself to be a lawyer, telephoned Mrs. Evans the afternoon before his arrest, from San Francisco, saying that her name was about to be used as co-respondent in a divorce suit to be filed by Mrs. Emma Benson of San Francisco, wife of Jackson C. Benson. At 10 o'clock the next morning he again phoned, saying he had arrived in Modesto, and asked for a very secret meeting for her good. The time was arranged for 1:30. Immediately Mrs. Evans and her husband laid the trap.

In his attempt to secure $3,000, Cunningham read from a note book the evidence he claimed to hold to show that Mrs. Evans had relations with Benson at the Inside Inn, the Appleton hotel, and other places in San Francisco. The leaves from this notebook, which Cunningham attempted to tear up when arrested, were tacked together and offered in evidence against him. He also claimed to have in his possession many letters and postcards, as well as her picture. All of these were to be returned to her, and her name was not to be mentioned in the alleged divorce suit on payment of the sum agreed upon.

Miss Wise testified that Cunningham approached her in San Francisco offering her a bribe to testify that Mrs. Evans had relations with Benson as he might direct. Miss Wise refused the offer of money.

Harry Lubbock, representing the Burns detective agency in San Francisco, attended the trial to secure pointers to be used in trapping Cunningham's accomplices in an alleged robbery of Eusebio Calcado, of Vancouver, British Columbia, in a room at San Francisco the night of Sept. 4. A warrant has been issued at San Francisco for Cunningham, Jack Keating, Currie Leonard and Roy Thomas. The Italian has identified Cunningham as chief of the gang who robbed him while pretending to be a United States marshal.

Several attempts were made to get a kodak picture of Cunningham while crossing the street to the court room today, but he frustrated all attempts by pulling his hat down over his eyes. Now that he has been convicted he will be photographed by order of Sheriff Davis tomorrow.

EIGHT DROWN IN WRECK NORTH OF POINT ARENA

Only Two Escape Out of Crew of Gasoline Schooner

LOST ON ROCKS

Vessel Being Taken From Vancouver to Add to Carranza Navy

POINT ARENA, Cal., Oct. 18.—Six men and two women were swept from rocks where they sought safety and were drowned early today, after they escaped from the wreckage of the gasoline schooner Alliance No. 2 which pounded itself to pieces on Mal Pass rocks, twelve miles north of here. Two men, H. R. Jones of Vancouver, the mate, and Rafael Mediner were saved.

Mediner was washed ashore unconscious, but later succeeded in sending a call for aid to the life saving station near here at 6 o'clock this morning, four hours after the wreck.

Jones who remained on the breaking vessel while the nine others clambered to what they thought was safety on the rocks, was washed overboard and was picked up after six hours by the life saving crew.

The two women, Mrs. Miguel Abila, wife of the owner, and her companion, Miss Lena Miller of Vancouver, and seven of the men, aided each other over the side of the vessel as she was being smashed to pieces. They climbed high on Mal Pass rocks where waves rolled over them until the last of the nine was swept away into the sea. Mediner reached ashore alive. The bodies of Abila and Miss Miller were found on the beach later in the day. It was believed the other seven were dead.

Jones watched his companions slip from the rocks while he awaited his turn. When the vessel broke in two the sea sucked him over the side and he was tossed about, clinging to wreckage.

The ship's dory, washed overboard, came within reach of Jones and he crumbed into it. There he was found exhausted by a surf crew from the life saving station.

When Mediner awoke to consciousness on the beach, he struck off on the first road he crossed, seeking aid. A farmer driving in his wagon picked him up and telephoned the news of the wreck to the Point Arena station.

The Alliance No. 2 sailed from Vancouver Oct. 9 for Mazatlan, Sinaloa. She formerly was the Seattle fishing schooner Levi Woodbury, seized on the Canadian fishing banks four years ago and sold at auction to a Vancouver firm which later sold her to Abila, a newspaper man of Mazatlan.

There were aboard her Captain Delourchrey, P. E. Harrington, chief engineer, J. S. Walsh, second engineer, H. R. Jones, mate, A. Allen, cook; Mr. Baillie, purser, Miguel Abila, owner; Mrs. Abilas, Miss Miller and Rafael Mediner, Abilla's servant.

It was reported that Abila was a close friend of Carranza and was taking the vessel to Mexico for use in Carranza's service. In return, it was said he was to receive a timber concession and other rewards.

WAGE CONFERENCE HAS A DEADLOCK

Mine Managers and Employes' Committee Reach No Agreement

EL PASO, Oct. 18.—Serious differences developed today at the very outset of the conference between Arizona copper mine owners and their striking former employes. As a result, no agreement was reached on a single demand of the strikers. While both parties refused to review the proceedings of the conference, it was learned that four demands were discussed, that final decision on all four was postponed, and that the strikers' delegates were invited by the managers to change their demands in several particulars.

The points discussed during the day:

Reinstatement of former employes; discrimination against members of labor organizations; signing a contract for one year with the employes, payment on an hourly instead of a daily basis.

On the first demand of the strikers—the reinstatement of all the men who walked out and all who were discharged between September 1 and September 11—a difference of opinion arose. The men discharged between September 1 and 11 include several whom the strikers call "agitators," the mine owners "undesirables." The mine owners object to reinstating some of these men. It was understood that up to tonight the strikers had not receded from their position on this point.

Regarding the matter of discrimination, it was said that the mine owners took the ground that they would not discriminate against union members as such, but that they would reserve what they called their right to discharge men who were persistently active—from the employers' viewpoint in "agitation" among the miners.

BAND WRECKS TEXAS TRAIN; TROOPS SENT

BROWNSVILLE, Texas., Oct. 19.—The following list of dead and wounded has been received: H. H. Kendall, engineer; United States cavalryman, name unknown.

The injured are:

Dr. E. S. McCain, Cameron county physician, probably fatally shot.

Harry Wallis, seriously wounded in abdomen.

Conductor P. E. Morgan, slightly wounded.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Oct. 18.—A southbound train on the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railway was wrecked tonight six and a half miles from Brownsville, supposedly by Mexican bandits, and the engineer, several passengers and three United States soldiers were reported killed by the bandits and in the wreck. A negro reached his home four miles from Brownsville, and gave the first report of the wreck and killings. Four companies of United States infantry were rushed to the scene by special trains followed by two troops of cavalry.

The bandits are reported to have been passengers, and on arriving at Olmito, began shooting at other passengers. They then set fire to the train, which was still burning at 2 o'clock.

MILITIA ON GUARD AT NASHUA STRIKE

One Man Fatally Shot During Disturbance at Factory

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 18.—An augmented military guard tonight patrolled the plant of the Nashua Manufacturing Company, where one man was probably fatally shot, one woman bayoneted and other persons clubbed during a strike disturbance today. Two companies of militia from Manchester arrived late today to help the two local companies which have been on duty within the mill since the strike for more pay and shorter hours began two weeks ago.

Adam Hanavitch, who was shot by a militia officer, according to a statement by the police, was in a critical condition tonight. Alexandria Belek, who was wounded in her right arm by a bayonet, and six other girls who were declared to have been clubbed, were said to be in no danger.

The disturbance grew out of an attempt of the manufacturing company to run cars on a siding which, the police assert, was blocked by women sitting on the track with babies in their arms.

DINUBA AUDIENCE HEARS SPEAKERS

Non-partisan Law Discussed By Neylan and Rowell

(Special to the Republican.)

DINUBA, Oct. 18.—John F. Neylan, president of the State Board of Control, and Chester H. Rowell, editor of the Fresno Republican, addressed an audience of 500 here this evening. The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic political gatherings ever held in Dinuba. The speakers attracted a larger crowd in a town of 2,500 than did the Short and Cary meeting Saturday in Visalia, which is a town of 6,000 people.

W. B. Jayne introduced Mr. Neylan, who delivered a short but forceful address in favor of the non-partisan law. In brief, he stated that non-partisanship already existed in fact; that it is the only way to insure clean state politics, and that its principal opponents were of that class of politicians who, under the former party system, robbed the state for forty years. He further said that non-partisanship placed 16,000 of the state and county officials in the offices which they hold today, and the only step in advance was to place 181 more offices under the system.

Following Mr. Neylan's address, Mr. Boone introduced Chester H. Rowell, who followed along the lines of Mr. Neylan's talk, with a careful explanation of the law, its workings, what it really is, and what can be accomplished under it. His talk was clear and to the point, with a number of particular instances pointed out where it had really worked. He went on to say that if the machinery proposed was new, we might feel inclined to consider further before deciding to use it, but that it was not new, and that its success was before our eyes in the 16,000 public offices in the state which it now filled. In summing up the arguments of the opposition, he mentioned the allegation that a Johnson machine existed.

The question was raised from the audience, as to what the machine really was. Mr. Neylan asked the privilege of answering the question. He showed that the charges were made by men ousted from office on account of their corruptness, in place of creating a machine by increasing appointive offices, that the majority of minor state offices are now filled by a civil service plan, the law being passed during the present administration and signed by Governor Johnson. He denounced the men who charged the existence of the machine as crooked politicians, and so forcibly defended his position that his remarks drew forth hearty applause. In conclusion he begged every voter in Dinuba to go to the polls and vote "yes" on the non-partisan law at the coming election.

ORDER IS BANKRUPT

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 18.—The assets of the supreme lodge, Knights of Honor, a fraternal insurance order, are approximately $300,000 less than its liabilities, according to a report on the financial condition of the order, filed in the federal district court here today by Charles A. Houts, receiver for the organization.

DARDANELLES FIZZLE CAUSES RECALL OF BRITISH COMMANDER

Allies Occupy Enos, Turkish Port Near Bulgarian Border=Some Progress Toward Serbian Relief

Major General Sir Ian Hamilton has been relieved of the command of the British forces in the Dardanelles and called home to make a report to the war office on the Gallipoli campaign. He is to be succeeded by Major General Charles Charmichael Monro, an officer who has seen wide service.

The Dardanelles operations have not been as fruitful of results as the British war office and the people of England would wish, and, of late, there has been much criticism because of the failure of the land and sea forces to make progress that seemed material to the ultimate aim of the expedition which was to reach Constantinople.

An important incident of the British side of the war is the resignation from the British cabinet of Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster leader, who was appointed last May on the formation of the coalition ministry. Disagreements are reported to have arisen between Sir Edward and other members of the cabinet, and his resignation, it was said, had been in the hands of Premier Asquith for some time.

Relief For Serbian Armies

While the Serbians and Montenegrins in northern and western Serbia are strenuously contesting the march of the Austrians and Germans, on the east, the Serbians are fighting hard against Bulgarian attacks, the Anglo-French forces to the south with bases on the Aegean sea, are declared in unofficial reports to be making progress in their efforts to bring relief to their harassed allies.

Report has it that the allies have made a landing in Turkey, at Enos, at the mouth of the Maritz river, a short distance southeast of the Bulgarian port of Dedeaghatch. While Enos is a shallow water port and its environs are unhealthy, owing to the marshy country surrounding the city, the Maritza river is navigable at this season of the year by barges as far as Adrianople. A short distance westward, across the stream, an invading force would be in close proximity to the Bulgarian railway line running north through the territory recently acquired by Bulgaria, from Belgrade to Constantinople, which the Teutonic allies are trying to secure control of, in order to lend aid to the Turks.

German Claims

Both Berlin and Vienna assert that their troops and those of Bulgaria are making progress in their campaign in Serbia, but as traced on the maps, this progress is slow. Vienna claims that several additional vantage points have been taken by the Teutons and that the Bulgarians in the sector in which they are fighting in the north have gained ground in the mountainous country and farther south, have advanced over Egri Palanka in their attempt to gain the Uskup-Nish railway, the cutting of which probably would delay the northward progress of the French and British troops from Saloniki.

Artillery bombardments and fighting by means of hand grenades have been the sole methods of warfare along the French line; while on the Russian front, the attempt of Field Marshal von Hindenburg to push through to Dvinsk has brought out the hardest fighting. Berlin asserts that good progress has been made by von Hindenburg to the south of Riga and that near Illouksi, Russian positions extending over a front of nearly two miles have been captured.

Stubborn fighting is going on in the Austro-Italian zone, with the Italians on the offensive. On the plateau of Doberdo, the Italians, in an attack, reached the Austrian entanglements at some places, but Vienna says, were finally driven off.

Norse Lose Steamer

LONDON, Oct. 18, 7:03 p. m.—Lloyds announces that the Norwegian steamer Salerno has been sunk, and that nineteen men, two women and three children have landed from her.

The Norwegian steamer Salerno of 1,359 tons net arrived at Gotherburg, Sweden from Buenos Aires on September 20. Her subsequent movements are not covered by available shipping records.

A dispatch from London on October 15 reported the sinking of the British steamer Salerno.

Wheat Shipments

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—What is said by grain men to be the largest movement of Canadian wheat through the United States ever recorded is now going on through this port. Records of the Produce Exchange compiled to and including Friday, October 15, show that 4,265,791 bushels have been brought here from Canada since the early part of August and reloaded on steamships for shipment mainly to England, France and Italy. This wheat, in order to avoid the payment of a duty of 10 cents per bushel comes through in bond.

ATTORNEY GENERAL CARSON QUITS BRITISH CABINET IN ANGER OVER WAR POLICY

LONDON, Oct. 18, 1:40 p. m.—Sir Edward Carson, attorney general, has resigned from the British cabinet.

This is the first open manifestation of the divergence of views known to exist among the ministers, is the result, according to an authoritative statement, not of the controversy over conscription, but of the condition of affairs in the Near-East.

Sir Edward himself, so far, has made no personal explanation of his reasons for resigning, but it is understood that he disapproved of the policy which is being followed in the Balkans and the method of confiding the whole national policy to a small "inner cabinet."

It is expected that there will be exciting debates in the House of Commons this week, as severe attacks on the government are planned by members of the House, in connection with the general military policy especially in the Near East.

Sir Edward Carson, prior to the outbreak of the war, was the leader of the movement against home rule for Ireland, which for a time threatened civil war in Ulster county. At that time he was the Conservative member of Parliament for Dublin University and gained great notoriety for his speeches attacking the government and the sympathizers of home rule, and threatening in case the long signed the home rule bill, to aid in setting up a provisional government in Ulster.

He was the first to sign the covenant of resistance to home rule, and led the Ulsterites in the formation of the Ulster volunteers.

When the present coalition government was formed last May, Sir Edward was given the portfolio of attorney general. Some of the English newspapers expressed the view that the appointment was a mistake, in view of his previous antagonism to the government.

The most notable cases with which Sir Edward has had to deal with since his incumbency of the attorney generalship were the Board of Trade's inquiry into the sinking of the Lusitania and the proceedings before the prize court for the condemnation of American meat cargoes, which had been seized by the British government on the ground that was destined for Germany.

Recently there has been unofficial talk in London of Sir Edward's being at odds with other members of the ministry over conscription, the Balkan situation, and the Dardanelles expedition. The attorney general did not attend any of the cabinet meetings held recently.

Conscription As An Issue

LONDON, Oct. 18, 3:03 a. m.—Much regret is expressed in the London morning papers over the resignation of Sir Edward Carson as attorney general, and there is likely apprehension expressed that it is not impossible that his giving up his portfolio may be followed by other resignations.

The Times says Sir Edward's action was taken on what he holds to be a fundamental question of policy and that it is understood he is by no means alone in his attitude toward the conduct of the war.

According to the Daily Chronicle, the question of conscription did not come to a head at yesterday's cabinet meeting, as matters arising out of the Balkan situation, especially the enigmatic attitude of Greece, occupied the ministers the whole of the time. But, the Chronicle says, the conscriptionites have not abandoned their intention to force an early decision on the question and before the week is out there may be sensational developments unless the wiser counsels prevail. The newspaper adds that ministerial resignations are freely talked about and says the very existence of the coalition government may soon be in jeopardy.

Asking where an alternative government is to come from, the Chronicle contends that even if the conscriptionists should succeed in forming an administration, they would be without a majority in Parliament and have at least half the nation arrayed against them.

The Morning Post, the leading Conservative newspaper, says editorially:

"Sir Edward Carson resigned on the near-eastern question. The government, against his strong advice and urgent counsel, allowed that question to drift, and Sir Edward Carson, who had strong convictions on what he regarded as the right policy for the country, refused to share the responsibility for the results of postponing or evading a decision.

"We cannot quarrel with him for taking the momentous step. On the contrary, on man of intellect and courage could remain in a government which dallies with and postpones its decisions from day to day on issues where delay is dangerous and may be fatal.

"We trust now that Sir Edward Carson has resumed his freedom, he will use means to force upon the government some sense of the dangers to which they are bringing the country through their refusal to look facts in the face."

SERBIA PROTESTS TO U. S. AGAINST ACTS OF GERMANY

PARIS, Oct. 18, 3:09 a. m.—A special dispatch from Bucharest, Rumania, says:

"The Serbian minister has handed to the American minister a protest against the extermination of the civil population by the German troops, which will be forwarded to Washington.

E. J. BOUST, MIDWAY OIL MAN DIES SUDDENLY

Widely Known in West Side Fields; Owner of Boust City

Body to Be Brought to This City Today for Burial

Ellsworth J. Boust, one of the most widely known men in the Midway oil district and formerly a well-known resident of Fresno, died suddenly at Taft at 7 o'clock last night after but a few hours' illness, from pneumonia.

Twenty-four hours before his death Boust was apparently in the best of health and was making arrangements for the improvement of his townsite, which lies half a mile north and west of the city of Taft.

When he was stricken, Dr. Brown of Bakersfield was hurriedly called in consultation, as the seriousness of his illness was quickly recognized. The doctors were unable to do anything for him.

The body will be brought to Fresno where the majority of his relatives reside, and the time of the funeral services will be announced later.

Boust was one of the first men to file on oil locations in the Midway field and was recognized as a pioneer in that district. He became involved in a number of sensational affairs, however, and much litigation as the result of his activities in the oil field, and even at his death was involved in litigation against the Midway Oil Company, Honolulu Oil Company, North American Oil Company and St. Lawrence Oil Company, in which he was suing for the recovery of money alleged to be due for oil taken from land in which he claimed title.

Shortly after he removed to the Midway field to make his home he became involved in a sensational gun fight, commonly known as the Cornell-Shafer fight. This was a battle over possession of claims.

Founds Boust City.

In 1909 he founded Boust City, about half a mile north and west of Taft, on a quarter section of land owned by him. As this was oil land, a number of people jumped it in 1910 and established claims. Boust contested the claims and finally won title through a decision of the Secretary of the Interior.

About two years ago, as Boust and W. A. Wilson of Bakersfield were driving from Bakersfield to Taft in Boust's machine, they were struck by a McKittrick train. The automobile was demolished and both men were seriously injured, but eventually completely recovered.

Boust first came to Fresno in 1888 and resided in this city continuously until about 14 years ago, when he went to the Midway. He first engaged in farming and then became a deputy sheriff. About 16 years ago he was appointed deputy United States marshal and served one term.

Has Large Estate.

The extent of his estate is not known, but it is believed to be worth several hundred thousand dollars. He owns 160 acres in the very heart of the Midway oil district and has large oil holdings in addition to this. He also owns a home on J street, adjoining the Eastgate sanitarium, and the Kemper apartments.

He leaves a wife, two children, Edna and E. J. Boust Jr., four brothers, W. W. Boust, Southern Pacific baggage master in Fresno; E. B. Boust, vineyardist of Fresno; P. F. Boust of San Diego, A. L. Boust of Sacramento, and three sisters, Mrs. Edna Kegler and Mrs. Mattie Bussey, who reside with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Boust, at 2526 Ventura, and Mrs. Irene Smith of Lanton. He also leaves three stepchildren.

Boust was 65 years of age.

Lectures On the Teeth

Most cases of neuralgia of the face and head can be traced to some trouble originating in the teeth. The nerves of the teeth and face are so intimately interlaced that a condition affecting the teeth will be referred to a pain in the face in the shape of neuralgia. My experience in meeting conditions of this kind is such that if this is the cause, I can locate it.

I make no charge for an examination or consultation. My prices are the lowest for the high grade work.

Dr. A. T. Lockwood

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STRIKES WOMAN WITH BROOM SHE WOULD NOT BUY

Because Mrs. J. F. Jacinto, 111 J street, refused to purchase a broom, E. S. Taylor, a peddler, struck her over the head with the broom which he had been demonstrating. Taylor was arrested on a battery charge, sworn out by Mrs. Jacinto.

Taylor is a familiar character in Fresno and has sold brooms throughout the city for many years.

SISTER'S SLAP ON FACE MAY CAUSE SUIT FOR $1,000

A refusal to work on Sunday led to a slap across the face; a slap across the face may lead to a suit for $1,000 balm to a wounded pride. Such at least is the threat made by John Pickford, 1444 K street against his sister, Mrs. Lottie Kohler, proprietor of the Kohler Steam Laundry who lives at 1306 K street.

The open break between brother and sister occurred yesterday morning. The police were called upon to eject Pickford from the laundry.

Pickford claims that Sunday he was ordered to "clean up" the laundry. He attended church it is claimed, and refused to do any of the "menial work." Yesterday morning Mrs. Kohler on coming down to the plant, is said to have berated her brother. He argued the point, and was told that he could "quit." He demanded certain back salaries. This witnesses allege, angered Mrs. Kohler and she struck her brother across the face with her glove. He threatened suit, and refused to leave the building, until Patrolman Wise ordered him to do so.

FORBES TO SPEAK AT LUNCHEON TODAY

Development Board Secretary to Tell of State Needs

Edgar Allen Forbes, secretary for the California Development Board and advance man for the commission on rural credits, will speak at the noon luncheon of the Commercial Club today on the subject, "California As It Might Be." He will give some interesting facts regarding the needs of pioneer farmers in the way of financial aid from the state.

During the commission's hearings throughout the state, Forbes has been in close touch with the farmers and business men and has become a thorough believer in a rural credit system for California. He declares that California has progressed very fast during the last few years, but that her present record will be easily eclipsed if the voters approve the enabling act at the election on October 26 authorizing the legislature to enact some system of credit relief for the agriculturist or orchardist.

UNIVERSITY CLUB TO HOLD DINNER

First Event of Season to Be Given Next Saturday

The winter season of amusement for members of the University Club of Fresno will open next Saturday evening with a dinner and smoker at the club rooms in the White Theater building. The entertainment committee has prepared a program that promises even to lure out the confirmed married members of the club, and yet send them home at a seasonable hour before the clock shows Sunday.

President O. L. Everts of the club yesterday completed his list of appointments on committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Entertainment—D. M. Barnwell, H. F. Briggs, J. N. Blenkiron, Penn Cummings and B. W. Gearhart.

House—Carl E. Lindsay, C. C. Starr, Leonard G. Heller, A. B. McConnell, and Alva E. Snow.

Library—Dr. C. P. H. Kjaerbye, G. H. Huntting, C. K. Bonestell, B. P. Walker and W. P. Thompson.

Auditing—Lesley Einstein, C. T. Swanson, Paul Jayne, M. H. Kavanaugh and Harry F. Neal.

'HELP WANTED' STRIKES THE POPULAR FANCY

Theater Fresno's New Bill Pleased Good Crowd Last Night

"Help Wanted," the spectacular drama that opened an engagement at the Theater Fresno last evening, proved a delightful play and enduring lesson for all who witnessed the unfolding of Jack Lait's intense story, attacking immorality in business.

Particularly "Help Wanted" is a play with a worthy purpose, a frank, scathing denouncement of the smug, well to do business man whose unscrupulous tendency toward women, is responsible for many a poor stenographer's disgrace.

Incidentally, the drama is relieved of its intensity and depth of theme, by bright, smart comedy that the author has injected into the dialogue.

The "Post Players" give a most creditable presentation of the play that has made thousands gasp with horror, at the truth revealed, there being evident a sense of good judgment in the casting of the various parts.

Miss Evelyn Hamblly, as the unsophisticated stenographer, plays her part with a naturalness that arouses sympathy for the the innocent girl whom she portrays, and profound hate for the unprincipled employer, who seeks to drag her name from the pedestal of modesty.

Mr. Howard Nugent, who is seen in the role of Mr. Scott, is splendidly fitted for this difficult part, and Verne Layton, the popular leading man with the "Post Players," is admirable, as the son, whose love for Gertrude Meyer proves her protection against the perfidy of his stepfather.

Taken by and large, "Help Wanted" is a delightfully entertaining play, and one that serves to inspire good.

This big production is billed for the rest of the week at the Theater Fresno.

HODGSON IS AGAIN PASTOR IN FRESNO

Thornton Continues As South Methodist Presiding Elder

Former Fresnans Also Head Other Divisions of Pacific Conference

South Methodist appointments in the Pacific conference, made yesterday, show no changes in the Fresno city pastorates and few in adjoining pulpits. Of former Fresno pastors, Rev. J. J. N. Kenney continues as presiding elder of the San Francisco district and Rev. J. A. Batchelor as presiding elder of Sacramento district. Rev. J. A. Wailes continues at Merced, Rev. Mark Hodgson is reappointed here and W. E. Thornton is again presiding elder. The full list is:

San Francisco district: J. J. N. Kenney, presiding elder, three years, Boonville, J. F. Woodliff, (supply); Bradley and San Lucas, S. C. Basham, (supply); Gilroy, L. J. Amos, 1; Hollister, A. L. Paul, 3; Mountain View, C. E. Martin, (supply); San Jose, St. Paul's, J. E. Moore, 3; San Jose, Willow street, Leslie Hulg, (supply); Salinas, J. W. Taylor, 1; San Benito circuit, Claude Fairfield, 1; Stockton, L. S. Jones, 1.

Editor Pacific Methodist Advocate, W. E. Vaughn; conference missionary secretary, J. A. Batchelor; Sunday school field secretary, J. E. Squires; agent for superannuate homes, B. F. Nunn; commissioner for memorial churches, J. A. Batchelor; secretary board of education, J. A. B. Fry; special missionary to Japanese at Seattle, U. G. Murphy; Oriental district, William Acton, presiding elder, 2; Korean, Sacramento circuit, S. Y. Whang, (supply).

Transferred to other conferences: C. P. Moore, to Los Angeles conference; W. J. Fenton to Columbia conference; W. H. Nelson to Los Angeles conference; F. R. Chenault to Virginia conference; J. T. McClure to New Mexico conference.

Fresno district: W. R. Thornton, presiding elder, 2; Academy, Selbert Cain, 2; Bakersfield, C. E. Bower, 1; Chowchilla, George W. Western, (supply); Clovis, J. M. Weems, 3; Coulterville, C. W. Huff, (supply); Delta View circuit, W. J. Westfall, (supply); Dinuba, W. N. McClosren, 1; Dos Palos, H. M. McKnight, 1; Exeter, C. P. Martin, 2; Fresno, Mark Hodgson, 2; Hanford, J. R. Nicholl, (supply); Kingsburg, D. C. Williams, 1; La Grand, George S. Saunders, 2; Los Banos, C. W. Long, 3; Madera, C. T. Harwell, 2; Mariposa, J. F. Totten, 1; Merced, J. A. Wailes, 2; Modesto, Z. J. Needham, 2; Mineral King, J. M. Parker, 1; Orosi, George O. Harwell, 4; Sanger, J. C. Allen, 1; Selma, H. M. Bruce, 1; Snelling, W. D. Johnson, (supply); Tuolumne, P. A. Black, (supply); Visalia, J. D. Allen, 2; West Park, James Healey, 1.

District missionary evangelist, G. W. Rubush, 2, member of Fresno quarterly conference.

Sacramento district: J. A. Batchelor, presiding elder, 2; Anderson, Earl R. Nicholls, (supply); Arbuckle, R. L. Sprinkle, 1; Chico, O. L. Russell, 3; Colusa, J. W. Byrd, 1; Elmira, P. E. H. Warren, 1; Elliott circuit, E. A. Tabor, (supply); Galt and New Hope, John R. Kenney, 1; Gridley, Paul H. Talley, 1; Hedgeville and Flournoy, P. F. Page, 1; Isleton, S. E. Grenfell, 3; Knights Landing circuit, C. C. Black, 4; Millville circuit, G. O. Jewett, (supply); Lincoln, T. A. Tay, 1; Oro circuit, William Pierce, (supply); Princeton, J. E. Needham, 4; Red Bluff, G. M. Gardner, 1; Rockville circuit, J. S. Simmons, (supply); Sacramento, H. V. Moore, 3; Sutter and Grace, L. C. Smith, 2; Williams and Maxwell, A. V. Harbine, 1; Willow, L. P. Shearer, 2; Winters, O. C. Coppage, 1; Woodland H. G. Vaughan, 1; Yuba City and Wheatland, D. Harrison, 1.

PARKING ORDINANCE IS NEARLY READY

Merchants Association to Have Collection Department

The traffic committee, appointed by the president of the Merchants' Association to formulate an ordinance to prevent the congestion of traffic on the principal business streets by parking vehicles, will meet this afternoon to give final touches to the proposed ordinance to be presented to the city for adoption. Owing to the fact that no city law is now in force to prevent the parking of automobiles and other vehicles along the sidewalks on the leding streets, the city has suffered from street blockading for several months. Recently the Merchants' Association protested to the city and the city trustees in turn requested the association to formulate an ordinance to put a stop to the use of the main streets for parking purposes.

The directors of the association will meet this morning and will take up a collecting system plan arranged by Secretary H. E. Patterson for consideration. The system will very likely be adopted and this department will be placed on a par with the credit system, which is one of the best in the state. As soon as the collecting system is installed, two or three extra clerks will be employed by the association in order to keep all data up to the minute.

During the afternoon the committee on insurance will hold a meeting and arrange a report on its findings relative to needed reductions in local insurance rates.

LESLEY EINSTEIN IS NAMED TRUST OFFICER

In Charge of This Branch of Bank & Trust Co. Co. of Cent. Calif.

At a meeting of the directors of the Bank and Trust Company of Central California, yesterday afternoon, Lesley Einstein was appointed trust officer.

As trust officer he will have complete charge of the trust department of the institution and will devote his time exclusively to this work. He will assume his duties immediately.

The appointment of a special trust officer will make it possible for the other officials of the bank to devote their time to the commercial banking and also to the savings department.

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Featuring the Most Wonderful Collection of Suits Ever Shown by Gottschalk's

A variety almost endless and new! It would take one competent saleswoman a forenoon to show you the entire assortment of styles—without trying one on!

And every suit is almost a special one—special in make, special in selection, special in cloth and special in price. Because we have tried to make each a better suit in every way this season.

Rich velvets—wonderful soft suede cloths, crisp whipcords, clinging poplins, durable serges and novelty duvetyns. Extraordinary values at **$29.50**, **$35**, **$45** up to **$75**.

Carter's Underwear Week

We Are Sole Fresno Agents

This is Carter's underwear week throughout the United States—We sell Carter's underwear because we believe it to be the best on the market—Complete stock of fall and winer weights for ladies, children and infants, now ready—Carter's costs no more than common underwear—We mention two lines in connection with "Baby Week."

Infants' Bands; low neck, no sleeve and having tab for pinning the diaper; made in wool, silk and wool, and all silk. Prices **35¢** to **$1.00** garment; all sizes.

Infants' vests, in cotton, wool, silk and wool, and all silk; beautifully made garments; priced from **25¢** to **$2.50** garment. See window.

Viyella Flannel GUARANTEED NOT TO SHRINK

Viyella—stands for highest grade, non-shrinkable flannel—ever offered to the public—We are showing a complete line of new fall styles—for day or night wear—Sold universally at 75c yard—Sold in Fresno only by Gottschalk's at this price—

New Japanese Lunch Sets

Japanese lunch sets, in blue and white; large assortment of new designs; very lowest price for the highest quality; three sizes; cloth and half dozen napkins—

50x50 cloth.. **$1.25** set
62x62 cloth .. **$1.65** set
72x72 cloth .. **$1.95** set

Introductory Rug Specials

Rugs, a new line added to our drapery department. We make mention of two special numbers.

Alpine Axminster; in size 27x54, in floral or Oriental designs **$1.98** each.

Smyrna Rugs; size 36x72; in Oriental designs and colorings, **$2.59** each.

Special Showing of the Famous Beacon Blankets

Three big widows and a large interior display devoted to the showing of these superior blankets—The cotton kind that look and feel like wool and cost no more than ordinary blankets—Bed blankets, robe blankets, crib blankets, etc., in choice new patterns and colors—

Suit Special

A wonderful lot of stylish new suits. Some are fur trimmed, in jaunty military styles, in all-wool poplin, in green, brown and navy; lined throughout with guaranteed lining. Also plain tailored styles in mixtures and plain materials. **$14.95**

Wonderful Showing of New Suits at $25

Dozens of new styles shown now for the first time, including many stunning fur trimmed suits which have just been added to our already extensive display. Best materials and leading styles, including loose back military styles, strictly tailored models, and belted effects in black, navy, brown, green and mixtures.

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We Have the Coats

Carefully selected, moderately priced. Coats for motoring, for street, general wear and dress occasions. Silk corduroys, white and colored chinchillas, plushes, polo cloths, broadcloths, novelty mixtures, etc. Every color and favored style one could wish for—

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Second Day of Record Week Millinery Sale

Shapes and Trimmings Featured Today

Instead of $4 or $4.50 These Shapes Are $2.69

In order to smash all selling records we offer this remarkable lot of new shapes at so low a price that you will be amazed. Such quality and style has never been marked so low before. You will find in this lot **Puritans,** with both narrow and broad brims; **Flare** hats in both side and back roll; also tiny **Turbans—Tricornes** and **Colonials,** made of fine Lynn's silk velvet and hatters' plush, in black and all the wanted colors and combinations.

New Wings and Ornaments 69c

A splendid assortment of every shape and color imaginable. Just the thing to use on the shapes advertised today. Values to $1.25. Record Sale price ..... **69¢**

Fancy Ostrich and Flowers 79c

There are certainly some beautiful ostrich fancies and flowers in this lot—Too many to venture description, but you will be amply repaid by seeing them. Values to $1.50. Record Sale price ..... **79¢**

Something New Every Day—Watch for Record Week Sale of Ostrich Plumes

This is **Baby Week** *at Gottschalk's*

Bring the little tots to Gottschalk's this week and get them their new fall outfits at a big saving.

Everything needed for them to wear; dresses, coats, hats, bonnets, undergarments of wool, cotton or rubberized materials, toilet articles, celluloid novelties, baby go-carts and sulkies, corrals, toys, etc. Many extra specials this week.

RAISIN SHIPPERS TO BENEFIT BY NEW RATE

Railroads Report Reductions in Dried and Canned Fruit

Rates on the shipment of raisins and dried fruits to North and South Dakota and Minnesota have been reduced from $1.10 to 90 cents and canned fruits have been reduced to 62½ cents from 75 cents, effective October 25, according to advice received in the local railroad offices yesterday. The reductions will apply to shipments of 60,000 pounds or over.

Shippers will realize great benefits from the 1915 crop with the saving of thousands of dollars.

GASOLINE, MATCH TWO ARE BURNED

C. H. Dodson of the Hughes hotel and James Burns of the Key West hotel were both slightly burned yesterday when the latter lighted a match while they were working around an automobile with gasoline. They were treated at the emergency hospital by Dr. W. L. Adams.

The accident occurred in the Renfro & Chambers garage, 717 I street. Dodson received first and second degree burns about the arms. Burns was but slightly burned on the left arm.

B. D. CALVERT DIES IN SAN FRANCISCO

B. D. Calvert, for ten years a resident of Fresno and formerly of Missouri, died yesterday at San Francisco. Calvert was 67 years old. The body will be sent to the Stephens and Reid undertaking parlors. Funeral services have not been arranged.

Y. M. C. A TO CLOSE YEAR'S WORK TONIGHT

To Lay Plans to Appoint New Board of Directors

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will bring the association work of the fiscal year to a close in a meeting at 6 o'clock this afternoon. Plans will be outlined for the annual meeting on November 11, when the annual budget will be drawn up and a new staff of directors will be elected. The nominating committee will be appointed this afternoon.

The directors and a number of business and professional men of the association will attend a dinner at the association at 6 o'clock tonight. At the close of the banquet there will be a general discussion of the Y. M. C. A. policies and definite plans will be adopted for the annual budget campaign. Harry O. Hill, acting state secretary, will be the principal speaker.

W. D. Eastman and his staff of assistants are now engaged in compiling the annual reports for the fiscal year closing October 15. Despite the adverse financial conditions, W. D. Eastman, general secretary, points out that the Fresno Y. M. C. A. has enjoyed a more prosperous year than any of the other associations in the state.

GERALD THOMAS IS OPERATED ON

Gerald Thomas, a young traveling man of this city, who has been ill for several days, was removed yesterday from his home to the Sample sanitarium and operated on for appendicitis. It was reported at a late hour last night that he had suffered no shock and that the operation had been entirely successful.

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EVERY single blackhead comes out as if by magic. Every speck of dirt and grease is removed, leaving your skin soft and smooth and refreshed instead of feeling feverish and drawn.

None of the poisons and oils that are constantly coming out through the pores and hardening on the skin are left. Every pore is free and open and does the work is should.

Your skin has a comfortable feeling that only absolute cleanliness can give. Pimples, oily skin, rash and all the other products of an unhealthy skin quickly disappear.

It gives these wonderful results by cleansing and nourishing and healing the skin instead of making it dry, rough and irritated. Powdered olive oil softens, soothes and heals the skin tissues. It acts like a tonic—makes the skin healthy and firm, and clarifies and beautifies the complexions.

This scientific preparation is put up by The THORO Company of Los Angeles. THORO is highly recommended by physicians as the very best detergent beautifies the complexion.

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WAR REPORTS

Russian Report

PETROGRAD, Oct 18, via London, Oct 18, 2:07 a m.—The official communication issued by the war office today follows:

"In the region of Riga, on the river Aa, north of Mitau, enemy elements, which advanced beyond Herzogshof, were thrown back across the river.

"On the Dvinsk front, after an attack repulsed yesterday, the enemy remained passive throughout the day. Only near the village of Pochilnt did he make attempts to dislodge us from trenches in the occupied section. We repulsed both these attacks. Artillery fighting continues. Between the Beumen and Dreswiaty lakes, there has been no cessation in the fighting.

"The Germans were dislodged with enormous losses from positions north of the village of Soutviantsy on the southern shore of Lake Dreswiaty. We captured munitions and machine guns.

"On the upper Niemen above Ilchatitchi, we carried by assault the village of Pilchersy.

"South of the Pripet region and on the middle Styr, our troops yesterday gained an important success during the occupation of the village of Sovichchichitchi, above Rafalowka. We captured thirteen officers, including two battalion commanders, and 500 men.

"Detachments of our cavalry charged the enemy near the station of Podchercvichi, west of Rafalowka. Thus far, thirty officers and over a thousand men and some machine guns have fallen into our hands.

"We have occupied the village of Kozlinitchi, below Czartorysk.

"By simultaneous attacks from the north and south, our troops occupied the village of Novosielki, on the Styr above Czartorisk and its bridgehead. After we had repulsed an enemy counter-attack, we took over 500 German and Austrian soldiers and a number of bomb throwers and some telegraph stores.

"At dawn yesterday, our troops got into the village of Kulikovichi, above Novosielki. Thus far we have captured over a thousand prisoners and many machine guns and bomb throwers.

"On the Caucasian front, there were no engagements on the 16th."

German Report

BERLIN, Oct. 18, via London, 3:44 p. m.—The Serbian forces in the Macva district of the Save-Drina front in northwestern Serbia, where strong resistance has been offered to the Teutonic invaders are now beginning a retreat, it was officially announced today by German army headquarters.

The Teutonic advance south of Belgrade continues and progress also is being made in the Pozarevac sector. Additional successes also are reported for the Bulgarians on the eastern border of Serbia.

The text of the official statement issued today by German army headquarters staff follows:

"Western theater: The trench work northeast of Vermelles, which projects far into the enemy positions, was repeatedly attacked by the English with strong forces. All their attacks failed with heavy losses and the trench work remained in our hands.

"Attempts of the French to attack at Tahure were subdued by our fire.

"A new enemy advance with the object of recapturing lost positions south of Lientry were unsuccessful. It cost the French, in addition to sanguinary losses, three officers, 17 non-commissioned officers and 73 chasseurs as prisoners.

"On Schratzmannele the enemy could not recapture a single foot of ground by his attacks, notwithstanding the use of a considerable quantity of ammunition.

"Yesterday German air squadrons attacked the fortress at Belfort, drove off the enemy aviators and dropped eight bombs on the fortress. A number of fires were observed to have been caused by the explosion.

"Eastern theater: Field Marshal von Hindenburg in his attack south of Riga made good progress. Two officers and 250 other prisoners remained in our hands.

"Russian attacks west of Jacobstadt were repulsed.

"West of Illoukst we captured enemy positions extending on a front of about three kilometers (1.8 miles).

"Further south in the region of Morgon, repeated Russian advances undertaken with strong forces were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. Two officers and 175 men were taken prisoners.

"Army of Prince Leopold: A Russian attack on both sides of the Linchvitschi-Baranovitchi railway broke down under our fire at a distance of 400 yards in front of our positions.

"Balkan theater: In the Macva district the enemy is beginning to retreat on the Plateau land. South of Belgrade our troops are advancing against Ovetchkov-Grob and the village of Vrain.

"Southeast of Pozarevac the towns of Grnice and Boserac have been captured.

"Bulgarian troops have occupied the heights of the Mischin-Percin and Badin Zub. Further south they are pushing forward by way of Eari Palanka.

"Army of General von Laningen: On the River Styre from Rafalowka to Kulikovitchni new local engagements have developed."

Austrian Report

VIENNA, Oct. 18, via London, Oct. 19, 12:07 a. m.—The following official communication from general headquarters were issued tonight:

"There were no special events yesterday in eastern Gallcia on the Ikwa front, and the region of the Volhynian fortresses.

"On the Kormin brook, and the lower Styr, the army made several strong attacks near Kulikovitchi, Novo Selki and Rafalowka.

"The battle continues.

"At all other points, the enemy yesterday was repulsed with great losses.

"The Austro-Hungarian troops on the under Sczaro also repulsed a strong Russian attack.

"On the Isonzo front, the Italians [illegible] displayed great activity last evening. Stubborn battles took place in the northwestern sectors on the Plateau of Doberdo, near Peteano. A strong Italian infantry attack on our positions there reached our entanglements in some places, but finally the enemy was driven out with heavy losses. Otherwise in the Littoral and Tyrolean border regions, there was only artillery fighting.

"A Serbian division has been defeated in the region of Avala, retreating on both sides of the road to the south. Our troops are now attacking enemy detachments who remain north of Rilka. The enemy also was obliged to retreat in the Macva district on both sides of the lower Morava.

"The Germans are gaining ground. The Bulgarians occupy the heights of Mischen-Percin and Badin-Zub. Further south they have advanced near Eari Palanka."

French Report

PARIS, Oct 18, 9:05 p m.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"After an intense artillery preparation, menaces of infantry attacks were manifested in the German trenches at Bois-en-Hache, and the valley of the Souchez, where large masses of enemy effectives were gathered. Our artillery by an energetic and effective barrier fire and our machine guns prevented the adversary from debouching.

"An artillery duel in which we had the advantage took place to the south of Soupir, in the environs of Tilloloy, Cessier and Saint Leocade.

"On the left bank of the Aisne, to the south of Poinmiers, our patrols discovered an enemy ambuscade and brought back prisoners.

"In Champagne the bombardments of the enemy has been very active against the Tahure hill and the ravine of La Goutte. Our batteries, in replying on the trenches and bivouacs behind the enemy's front, caused an explosion of a large munitions depot.

"In the Vosges, spirited combats with grenades are reported on the crests of Schratzmannele, and violent cannonading on both sides in the region of Hartsmanns-Weilerkopf and in the valley of the Thur.

The Belgian official communication reads:

"There has been an intermittent bombardment of our positions. Our artillery destroyed an enemy observation post."

French Report

PARIS, Oct. 18, 2:40 p. m.—French forces repulsed completely last night three German attacks, according to the announcement given out this afternoon by the French war office. These took place at Bois-en-Hache, to the northeast of Souchez. The text of the communication follows:

"Three new attacks on the part of the enemy against our positions at Bois-en-Hache, to the northeast of Souchez, were completely checked last night by curtains of fire in which artillery and infantry participated.

"To the south of the River Somme, in the sector of Libons, there has been almost continual fighting with trench weapons, while in the meantime our batteries directed an effective fire against the German works.

"To the north of Verdun, German forces have endeavored to occupy the craters of certain mines recently exploded between the lines. They have been repulsed everywhere.

"Last night witnessed very spirited infantry fire between the trenches in the vicinity of Nonsemy. Our artillery in the same region has dispersed groups of pioneers of the enemy, particularly to the east of Eply and near Gremercy and Honcourt, and it has also bombarded the railroad station at Blamont."

Turkish Report

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 18, via London, Oct. 19, 2:42 a. m.—The official communication today dealing with the situation on the Gallipoli peninsula, says:

"There have been some minor skirmishes near Anafarta and Ari Burnu. Near Seddul Bahr, on the 16th, the enemy in 24 hours fired over a thousand shells without effect."

THOMAS A. EDISON REACHES THE COAST

Is Met On Way By Fellow Scientist, Luther Burbank

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Thomas A. Edison, who will be honored next Thursday at the Panama-Pacific exposition by and Edison Day celebration, arrived in San Francisco late today. Accompanying him were Mrs. Edison, Miss Grace Miller, Mrs. Edison's sister, and "Billy Bee," the inventor's private secretary.

Mr. Edison spent the late afternoon and evening in sightseeing. Tomorrow night he will be guest of honor at a banquet arranged by the telegraphers and then will view special illuminations of San Francisco and Oakland planned in his honor.

Met By Burbank

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 18.—Thomas A. Edison and Luther Burbank, two of the world's greatest wizards, met for the first time today when Burbank greeted Edison at the local depot as the latter was on his way to the San Francisco exposition. They have corresponded frequently but until today the electricity and plant wonders had never seen each other.

"Is this the real Luther Burbank?" said Edison with a smile as he stepped from his private car and greeted Burbank. Burbank and Edison then conducted a hearty hand shake and as the overland waited but a few minutes they again boarded the Easterner's private car and continued on to San Francisco.

"Edison and I are greatly alike," said Burbank, "he is trying new tricks and so am I. Like me, he succeeds about once out of every thousand times. I work with things of nature and he improves on nature."

ELECTRIC STRIKERS REFUSE COMPROMISE

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Representatives of the 13,000 employes of the General Electric Company, now on strike, tonight voted unanimously to reject the compromise offer made by George E. Emmons, general manager of the plant. The workers went on strike when their demand for an eight-hour day was refused by the company. The compromise would have called for a 5 per cent increase in wages now, with a nine and a half hour day, and another 5 per cent increase in one year, and a nine-hour day.

CHAUX DES FONDS, Switzerland, Oct. 18.—A foreign aeroplane passed yesterday over this town, which is near the French border, and dropped three bombs. One adult and one child were wounded.

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FRESNO HOSPITALITY SURPRISES EASTERNER

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A. E. Ivory, capitalist of Pittsburg, made an automobile trip through the vineyard, fruit and alfalfa sections of Fresno county with N. R. Cooper, secretary, as the guest of the Fresno County Reception Committee, yesterday.

Following his return Ivory was so astounded to learn he had been entertained without expense to himself that he straightway determined to extend his visit here, saying, "I have visited most of the large cities between Pittsburg and the Coast, but not until now have I found the hospitality genuine, and the people filled with sufficient progressive spirit to show the visitors the merits of the country. I will spend additional time here and endeavor to make arrangements to locate near Fresno."

EXPERT ARTIST TO DESIGN BOOK

Secretary William Robertson of the Chamber of Commerce announced yesterday that the Sunset Magazine artist will arrive in Fresno some day this week to design a cover for the new Fresno county booklet to be issued in the near future. He will also take up the work of border decorations for all photographs that will appear in the edition. The book is to be published in Fresno this year.

DISCUSS STATE DRY MEETING

The recent state convention of the W. C. T. U. in San Francisco formed the principal subject of discussion in a meeting of the Fresno W. C. T. U. at the residence of Mrs. Will McCall on Home avenue. The report was presented by Mrs. H. F. Wakefield. The society voted to aid the Y. W. C. A. in conducting the Traveler's Aid work in Fresno by contributing funds to the work. A reception to twenty-five new members, enrolled during the last few months, will be held next month.

CANADIAN EXPERT STUDYING VALLEY

J. A. Simard, with the seed division of the Dominion department of agriculture, was a visitor in Fresno from Quebec, Canada, yesterday, making investigations of the farming conditions and possibilities in the San Joaquin valley. Reports on his observations will be filed with the Canadian government.

GANSHORN FUNERAL.

The funeral of George H. Ganshorn was held yesterday from the First German Baptist church at 2 o'clock, the Rev. F. I. Reichle officiating. The end came Saturday at his home in Fresno, 615 D street. He leaves a wife and four children.

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ROOT ON PARTIES

If there is any name which stand-pat Republicans should revere, it is that of Elihu Root. He is the one great man left in their party. And he is so loyal a partisan that in the crisis of his career he sacrificed more reputation and standing than any other standpatter had to lose, to preside over the Republican convention of 1912, when the organization met and won, by methods which must have revolted his soul, the supreme clash between party organization and party membership. If such a man deprecates "party responsibility," as it has prevailed in states, and advocates restoring power to the people by transferring responsibility and authority from the self-chosen party leader to the elected governor—then surely there is no authority left to defend the old system. Its only foundation is the habit of thought of backward-looking men. And of these Mr. Root said, in his great speech on the "invisible government", before the New York Constitutional Convention.

"Mr. Chairman, there never was a reform in administration in this world which did not have to make its way against the strong feeling of good, honest men, concerned in existing methods of administration and who saw nothing wrong. Never!" "You can not—make any improvement in this world without overriding the satisfaction that men have in the things as they are, and of which they are a contented and successful part."

Recounting the history of the system of "party responsibility," as it had grown up in New York, Senator Root said, among other things:

"What is the government of this state? What has it been during the forty years of my acquaintance with it? The government of the Constitution? Oh, no: not half the time, or half way. When I ask what do the people find wrong in our state government, my mind goes back to those periodic fits of public rage in which the people rouse up and tear down the political leader, first of one party and then of the other party. It goes onto the public feeling of resentment against the control of party organizations, of both parties and of all parties.

"Now, I treat this subject in my own mind not as a personal question to any man. I am talking about the system. From the days of Fenton and Conkling, and Arthur and Cornell, and Platt, from the days of David B. Hill, down to the present time the government of the state has presented two different lines of activity, one of the constitutional and statutory officers of the state, and the other of the party leaders,—they call them party bosses. They call the system,—I don't coin the phrase, I adopt it because it carries its own meaning,—the system they call "invisible government." For I don't remember how many years, Mr. Conkling was the supreme ruler in this State; the Governor did not count, the legislatures did not count; comptrollers and secretaries of state and what not, did not count. It was what Mr. Conkling said, and in a great outburst of public rage he was pulled down.

"Then Mr. Platt ruled the state: for nigh unon twenty years he ruled it. It was not the Governor; it was not the Legislature; it was not any elected officers; it was Mr. Platt. And the capitol was not here: it was at 49 Broadway; Mr. Platt and his lieutenants. It makes no difference what name you give, whether you call it Fenton or Conkling or Cornell or Arthur or Platt or by the names of men now living. The rule of the state during the greater part of the forty years of my acquaintance with the state government has not been any man authorized by the Constitution or by the law, and, sir, there is throughout the length and breadth of this state a deep and sullen and long-continued resentment at being governed thus by men not of the people's choosing. The party leader is elected by no one, accountable to no one, bound by no oath of office, removable by no one."

Mr. Root, while thus deprecating the autocracy of party bosses, had no fears whatever of the alleged autocracy which would follow concentrating power on the governor, as was proposed in his short-ballot resolution. He was of course not discussing formal non-partisanship, such as is now under consideration in California, but he was discussing the same evils and the same purposes, involved in another bill. And he saw, in the "personal government," of which some Californians have dreamed, no menace whatever—provided it is the responsible power of a responsible elected or appointed official, instead of the irresponsible power of an irresponsible party leader.

"Ah! My friends here have talked about this bill's creating an autocracy. The word points with admirable facility the very opposite reason for the bill. It is to destroy autocracy and restore power so far as may be to the men elected by the people, accountable to the people, removable by the people."

"Everywhere, sir that these two systems of government co-exist, there is a conflict day by day, and year by year, between two principles of appointment to office, two radically opposed principles. The elected officer or the appointed officer, the lawful officer, who is to be held responsible for the administration of his office, desires to get men into the different positions of his office who will do their work in a way that is creditable to him and his administration. Whether it be a president appointing a judge, or a governor appointing a superintendent of public works, whatever it may be, the officer wants to make a success, and he wants to get the man selected upon the ground of his ability to do the work.

"How is it about the boss? What does the boss have to do? He has to urge the appointment of a man whose appointment will consolidate his power and preserve the organization. The invisible government proceeds to build up and maintain its power by a reversal of the fundamental principle of good government, which is that men should be selected to perform the duties of the office: and to substitute the idea that men should be appointed to office for the preservation and enhancement and power of the political leader. The one, the true one, looks upon appointment to office with a view to the service that can be given to the public. The other, the false one, looks upon appointment to office with a view to what can be gotten out of it. Gentlemen of the Convention, I appeal to your knowledge of facts."

"Both parties are alike; all parties are alike. The system extends through all. Ah, Mr. Chairman, that system finds its opportunity in the division of powers, in a six-headed executive, in which, by the natural workings of human nature it is certain to be opposition and discord and the playing of one force against the other, and so, when we refuse to make one Governor elected by the people the real chief executive, we make inevitable the setting up of a chief executive not selected by the people, not acting for the people's interest, but for the selfish interest of the few who control the party, whichever party it may be."

"I have been told forty times since this Convention met that you cannot change it. We can try, can't we?

"I deny that we cannot change it. I repel that cynical assumption which is born of the lethargy that comes from poisoned air during all these years. I assert that this perversion of democracy, this robbing democracy of its virility, can be changed as truly as the system under which Walpole governed the Commons of England, by bribery, as truly as the atmosphere which made the credit mobilier scandal possible in the Congress of the United States has been blown away by the force of public opinion. We cannot change it in a moment, but we can do our share. We can take this one step toward, not robbing the people of their part in government, but inward robbing an irresponsible autocracy of its indefensible and unjust and undemocratic control of government, and restoring it to the people to be exercised by the men of their choice and their control."

These words, spoken on another but related subject, are as true applied to California, on the issue of today. The difference is that in New York they were uttered by an old man, on the verge of retirement, who confessed that all the years of his active life in these conditions he had done nothing that to change them, and was speaking now in the late hope of handing down a better state for posterity than the one which he had served had been—while in California the cry is raised by men still active, to a state already regenerated and hopeful, in the determination that not merely our children and grandchildren, but we ourselves, shall enjoy the privilege of free, responsible government, controlled by the people.

CHIEFS WILLING

If the proposed state non-partisan bill really did interfere with national party activity, certainly the first persons to object would be the heads of the national parties. This is so obvious that it is no secret that strenuous endeavors have been made for the joint party committee to secure statements from these national party heads which might be used in the California campaign, but the efforts were without success, except in the case of President Taft, who happened to be in California during part of the campaign. And President Taft's utterances only demonstrate that he had not read the bills and knew nothing about the subject.

An effort was made to use President Roosevelt, by misapplying some former utterances on a different subject, but Roosevelt promptly suppressed any such effort. Finally the parties' committee did manage to get out a garbled version of an ancient article by President Wilson, after they had been refused a direct modern utterance. President Wilson will presumably also suppress or disclaim this misrepresentation.

President Wilson's actual position, even in this old article, was that parties are to be sure necessary for united action on great issues, and have been and always will be used in free countries for this purpose, but that our peculiar development of them, as organizations for the choice of a multitude of candidates for offices having nothing to do with their issues, is a thing unheard-of in any other party country, and historically explicable even here only by an intolerably complicated electoral system. He pointed out that it was high time to change this system, whose effect had been to take responsibility and authority away from the people and confer it on self-chosen bosses. He advocated the short-ballot, and the concentration of power, appointive responsibility and legislative initiative on the elected governor—in other words, exactly what the partisans pretend is the "Johnson machine" in California. President Roosevelt's personal views are of course the same, though like President Wilson, he has not intruded himself on the local California election. And even President Taft used to have the same views, in the straight-thinking period of his career. He is now merely angrily anti-Johnson.

State non-partisanship is no menace to the national parties, as the attitude of the actual heads of these parties confirms. It does remove what has been, as President Wilson points out, historically the chief obstacle to free and responsible government in the states.

STEDMAN CAPTURED JEFFERSON DAVIS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—Funeral services were held here today for William P. Stedman, a former private in the Fourth Michigan Regiment during the Civil War and the captor of Jefferson Davis after the fall of Richmond. Stedman died here yesterday at the age of 79 years. He had been a resident of Washington for almost a quarter of a century and at the time of his death was an employe of the Department of Agriculture.

HILLSTROM AGAIN IS SENTENCED TO DEATH

SALT LAKE, Oct. 18.—Joseph Hillstrom, convicted of the murder of J. G. Morrison and Morrison's son here, January 10, 1914, as brought before Judge M. L. Ritchie of the District court today and resentenced to be shot to death, Friday, November 19.

Hillstrom declined to say anything before sentence as pronounced. He undertook to say something afterward but was not permitted to speak. He was taken back to prison immediately.

Hillstrom was originally sentenced to be executed October 1. A respite until last Saturday was granted by Governor Spry at the request of President Wilson, whose action was on a request of the Swedish minister to the United States. The respite was terminated and Hillstrom's application for commutation of sentence was denied by the board of pardons Saturday as no new evidence was presented.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 18.—The funeral of George Shag-Na-By, who claimed to be 118 years old, was held yesterday near Hart, in Oceana county. Neighbors of the aged Indian declare he professed to recall events happening nearly a century ago.

Sketches from Life ∴ ∴ By Temple

Grandpa's Treat

A. M. DREW DISCUSSES NON-PARTISANSHIP

Editor Republican: The non-partisan referendum measures are receiving so much attention at present that it would seem every phase of the question for and against had been discussed.

It was urged by Governor Johnson in his address at the Auditorium, and again by Mr. Rowell in his article on Sunday last, that the failure of the opponents of the measure to include the party primary designation bill in the referendum would result in confusion and demoralization, as the law would afford no means for party nominations in primary elections.

At the legislative session of 1907 the direct primary law was before the legislature for passage. A special committee on primary election laws was appointed and was easily the leading committee of the session. It was in the limelight from the opening to the closing hours.

Frank Devlin, now member of the Railroad Commission, introduced the bill, requiring voters to state their party preference at registration for primary voting. The principal opposition to the bill came from the machine members of the legislature.

It was not urged or contended that the omission of the party designation from the primary registration would in any manner affect party organization or party voting. The only merit claimed for it was that it would prevent ballot-box stuffing and illegal voting at primary elections in large cities; that it would prevent the buying of blocks of votes by political henchmen, swinging them from one party to another, thereby controlling nominations in all parties.

The worst feature of the proposed non-partisan law has not, to my mind, yet been emphasized. It is that there is nothing in the proposed law to prevent secret organizations from preying upon candidates by exacting pledges to support or oppose legislation either for or against special interests.

For example, during the last campaign a secret committee of the Royal Arch demanded the stand of every legislative candidate, state or national, on the liquor question. State candidates were asked, "Will you oppose all legislation against the liquor traffic if you are elected?" That may not be the exact form, but it is the substance of the question. Congressional candidates were asked, "Will you oppose and vote against national prohibition?" Every candidate who refused to answer or failed to answer in the affirmative was blacklisted in every saloon in his district. If the non-partisan bills become law, what will prevent the Royal Arch or any other organization in the interest of vice demanding similar pledges from each legislative candidate?

The answer will be that the brave, intrepid candidate will tell these inquisitors to go to and make their demands public. That is more easily said than done. A member of the Royal Arch told the writer nearly a month before election that a number of prominent candidates, both state and national had answered affirmatively and that if I did not come through I would be snowed under. The danger is so apparent that it certainly deserves attention. Respectfully,

A. M. DREW.

Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"

Grand Opera

GRAND OPERA is music in a gold setting. It consists of art, salaries and society in equal parts. Each part is essentials. You may have salaries without grand opera, but you can't have grand opera without salaries. Art is also necessary. If grand opera was not art, people would laugh when the 200-pound hero embraces the beautiful young 220-pound heroine. And lastly, grand opera without society isn't grand opera at all. It is popular concerts.

Grand opera is any musical play in which the leading character dies in the last act. This is necessary. To be grand opera, it must be fatal to some one. Grand opera heroes and heroines are shot, burned, strangled, drowned, walled up alive, thrown down wells and fed to the lions. It is true that because the supply of horrible deaths in history had run out, "The Girl of the Golden West" has only an attempted lynching in it and doesn't give the coroner any job at all. But then a good many people claim that this production wasn't really grand opera, but only grand press agent work. It is sometimes hard to tell the difference.

The most noticeable thing about grand opera is the music, which never stops. A carefully selected regiment of singers oppose a large orchestra for three or four acts. Sometimes the orchestra wins, but generally the singer comes out ahead by a couple of whoops. This necessitates great lung capacity on the part of the soloists, which accounts for the unfortunate width of great artists. In order to hold their own against forty violins and three kettle drums, prima donnas must be so powerfull that in most cases they have to sing the part of Juliet from a reinforced concrete balcony. To become a grand opera singer requires great skill and tenacity of purpose. One must learn to aviate through the upper register with bird-like clearness and perfect accuracy while climbing ladders, embracing lovers, taking poi-

Caruso receives one touring car for each performance.

son, being hanged from a barrel and dying in heaps on the cold ground. The singer must also be able to accompany herself with her arms. The prima donna who cannot wigwag with her arms messages readily translatable as delight, despair, hate, envy, indifference, suspicion, triumph, a pain in the chest, disgust with the administration and an invitation to come around the corner and get kicked, would not draw half a salary.

All grand opera is made in Europe for American consumption. It is also generally sung in foreign languages. This is largely because "Have a drink," "Get off my foot!" "You horrid thing, how dare you!" and "Gosh, but I feel sick," would mar the solemn beauty of the works if sung in plain English. Grand opera salaries in America have been growing larger every year, until now Caruso receives one touring car for each performance and wouldn't barter for less than a runabout.

MORE VIOLATIONS OF SUNDAY CLOSING

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Seventy-four violations of the Sunday saloon closing law were recorded in revised police reports today, an increase of forty-five over the number reported a week ago when Mayor Thompson's order went into effect.

All cases of violations will be submitted to Mayor Thompson with the recommendation that licenses be revoked.

SCHMIDT TRIAL PUT OVER

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—The trial of Mathew A. Schmidt, alleged accomplice of the McNamara brothers, charged with the murder of Charles Haggerty, one of the twenty men killed by the bomb which blew up the Los Angeles Times building five years ago, was postponed today until next Monday, October 25, on account of the sudden death last Friday of Charles H. Fairall, Schmidt's chief counsel.

ELEVEN, DEATH LIST

RANDOLPH, Kan., Oct. 18.—The names of P. T. Shields of Huntington, Ore., and E. L. Peterson of Lincoln, Neb., today were added to the list of identified dead, and the total loss of life in Saturday's motor train accident, was officially set at eleven. Several persons of whom no trace had been found since the wreck were discovered today in farm houses in the vicinity and in neighboring towns.

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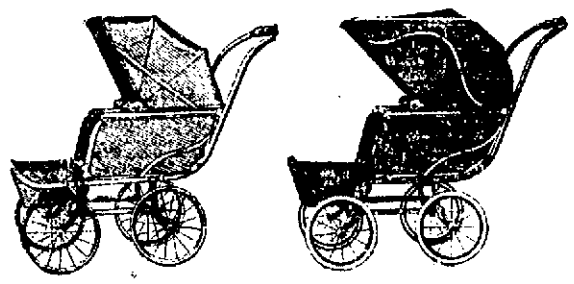

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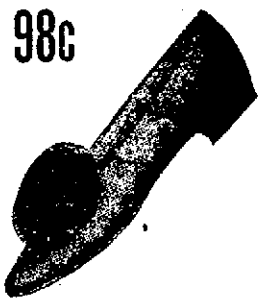

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Lillian Russell's Beauty Talks

If you want advice on beauty topics, write to Miss Russell, care of this paper. She will be glad to answer all questions. If a personal answer is desired, stamped and self-addressed envelope should be sent with the query.

Some women seem to feel that they assume a high and lofty position when they declare that "society has no attraction for them." The word "society" covers a multitude of blessings and beautiful things. It may indicate a body of foreign mission workers, or the tango set. It is suggestive of collective efforts in some particular direction. The woman who declines to join with her fellow beings in social, civic or other movements occupies a distinctive position, but not an enviable one. It is not good for woman to live alone.

I remember once reading what the late Frederick Townsend Martin said about society. He was recognized as one of the leaders and [illegible] New York's fashionable clique. I realize that in that set much time is wasted and its life might not appeal to women in general. In fact, I have an idea that the average woman would become very weary of it. But Mr. Martin had ideals. He expressed one when he said, "It is the function of good society to create and guide taste. Society sets the fashion in house building, furniture, decorations, dining, dancing, entertaining, clothing, literature and all the important features of life. Good society, in fact, teaches people how to live. It teaches them to live a graceful and well-ordered existence, and it gives profitable and intelligent employment."

In this broader, idealistic society every woman should have a part. Nature never intended that she should coop herself up in her own limited domains and ignore her fellows. Society is made up of many classes whose interests are various. The women who can not find something interesting outside of themselves, are extremely narrow.

We all know that vocational activities have a tendency to make us cold, callous and consequential. But in society all the finest feelings and the most amiable propensities abound and flourish. Society, if good, is the best refiner of our spirits.

But be sure that you mingle with good society. It need not be measured by wealth, but it must always be judged by standards and ideals.

If you have a part in society, which means an interest in others as well as yourself, you will enlarge mentally, your sympathies will be greater and you will find more in life.

The life of the recluse grows narrower each day, but that of the person whose interests are large enough to include others steadily becomes broader and more enjoyable.

The woman who shuts herself away from every one (which often happens after the loss of her husband) and spends her time moping over what is lost, instead of appreciating what she possesses, loses all there is of enjoyment in life.

One young artist appealed to me to write something that would stir his mother to some sort of action. He said that whenever he had company his mother ran and hid herself. Instead of receiving his friends and treating them kindly. He complained that she would not even take the trouble to dress herself since the death of his father, but wore the same old wrapper day in and out. She prepared his meals, kept the rooms clean and read papers and books—never went out. It seemed that her life was spent, and she was still young enough and well enough to be in and of his world. He resented her actions seriously, and justly so.

Women owe it to themselves and to their children to mingle in some sort of society. Nothing else prevents them degenerating, or declining into morbid impairment.

There are too many women who embrace any excuse for inactivity and laziness. Personal preparedness is essential to civilization. Women must be awake and stay awake. Their duty is only just begun when their family is raised and independent. Then is the time to enjoy life to its fullest, to find the best in other people and bring it out.

What would the world be if after bringing up their families all the mothers retired into the background?

It is only at that age of life that women are qualified to know and appreciate the world. But they must mingle and strive to come in contact with the best.

Society is a great incentive to betterment. I do not mean that superficious, artificial quality to be found in narrow-minded people. They should be passed up as nonentities. I mean the society that is broad and liberal, of thought and privilege, of learning and communication.

With your mind in an absorbing state you can not fail to learn and benefit by social intercourse of the higher order.

Wake out of your lethargy and appreciate your fellow beings. Accept the same privilege of intellect that you accede to them. Really good society is uplifting and inspiring.

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Answers to Beauty Questions.

LILLIAN, B.—Use one teaspoonful of cologne, one teaspoonful or more of tincture of green soap, one teaspoonful of borax, an egg and two tablespoonfuls of alcohol as a shampoo. Apply to the scalp with a brush made for the purpose. The brush removes dandruff and stimulates the vessels which nourish the scalp. The directions for massaging the scalp may be had by sending a stamped and addressed envelope.

J. P. N.—The black head eradicator you are asking about is made of one ounce of green soap and thirty drops peroxide of hydrogen. Mix, apply absorbent cotton and rub in thoroughly. Wash off with cold water after it has remained on for half an hour. Repeat the treatment four times a day.

Lillian Russell

TALKS ON HEALTH

By DR. W. A. EVANS
Noted Chicago Health Authority

Two years ago the attention of the Minnesota board of health was called to the farm of L. D. H. During the preceding four years five cases of typhoid fever had occurred on this farm. Dr. Lampson went out to the farm to discover the cause of the trouble. He found everything in excellent condition. These farmers were exceptionally careful, cleanly people. Mrs. L. D. H. was a former nurse and she understood the necessity of protecting the water supply.

The typhoid history of the farm was as follows: In June, 1909, Mr. H. had married. In September he had typhoid fever. Other cases occurred in August, 1910; July, 1912, and December, 1913. It was evident that some cause of typhoid was staying on the job. Upon close investigation it was found that Mr. H. had married it. Mrs. H. had typhoid fever in 1898. When she came to live on the farm in 1909 she brought it with her. She handed it to her husband three months after marriage. Having been a trained nurse, she was cleanly, and therefore she only infected four people, and those at long intervals.

Understand, she was in perfect health. It was not until Dr. Lampson sent a specimen of her blood to the state laboratory and they reported that a Widal test showed that Mrs. H. was a typhoid carrier that the cause of the typhoid on Farmer H.'s place was known.

After having had that experience the Minnesota board adopted this as their standard method for finding typhoid carriers. They have had it in several thousand cases and they want all health departments to use it as the regular standard method. It is a method of examining the blood by the use of which well people who are typhoid carriers can be detected.

Its advantage is its simplicity. A drop of blood dried on a piece of glass is all the specimen required. Any laboratory can make the test. About ten hours is ample time.

The test is somewhere between 80 and 90 per cent accurate. If 100 typhoid carriers are examined by this simple, easy, inexpensive test, eighty to ninety will be found to respond. The remaining ten to twenty will need to be examined by more difficult and more time consuming methods.

The method is so easy and so effectivive that Dr. McDaniel and Miss Wade of the Minnesota board of health think that every person handling food should be required to take the test. They think every dairyman producing milk, every milk dealer handling milk, every cook, every waiter, every buttermaker, every green grocer, and every baker should have the test.

If he is found free from typhoid he should be given a certificate to that effect. The certificate would be good for an indefinite length of time. No person found by this test to be a typhoid carrier should be allowed to handle milk or any other food. Should a carrier cease to be such he is to be thoroughly examined by repeated tests and, when found certainly right, is to be certified. The few carriers not found by this simple blood test will cause some cases of typhoid, but any measure which will cut off half the typhoid is worth while, even though it will not be perfect.

ADVICE ON CORSETS.

S. D. of Boston writes: "Will you be good enough to answer the appended question?

"My parents in England dressed myself and brother in boy's clothes, but put us both into corsets. We were educated in the country and lacked knowledge that this was unusual in boy's attire. I have continued to wear them ever since, and although on several occasions I have decided to leave them off—partly on account of having heard disparaging remarks about men who wear corsets—I have found that by so doing I am quite uncomfortable and slack, and am troubled by quite severe bowel trouble until I resume the corset. Lately I have read that corset wearing may lead to ulcer of the stomach."

REPLY—Wearing a corset does not predispose to ulcer of the stomach. You should continue wearing a corset. As a result of having worn corsets for thirty years your abdominal muscles are without strength and your abdominal organs now require artificial support. Readers should note that this advice is for a person who has worn corsets since youth. It applies regardless of the sex of the wearer. It is a mistake for any youth to begin wearing corsets. This applies regardless of the sex of the wearer.

IS EASILY WINDED.

I. T. writes: "Will you be kind enough to answer these questions for me? 1. I can not walk or run a block before I am winded. Why is that? 2. How is it possible to get more wind or have more wind? Is it good for one to get up early in the morning and run a certain distance? Will it help, if one works in an office all day and can't get any exercises, to run?"

REPLY—1. Short wind may result from heart disease, kidney disease, asthma, anemia, or tuberculosis. If no disease is responsible, then one wants to think of the following group of causes: Obesity, poor muscular development, poor condition of the muscles.

2. If no organic disease is present, the proper method of developing wind is by exercise. A certain amount of running in the early morning will be good for the wind and also for the general health, the efficiency, and the general well being. Start with a brisk walk and gradually develop your running stunt.

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We just want you to come in and ask us the things you want to know—just ask us as you would ask a friend.

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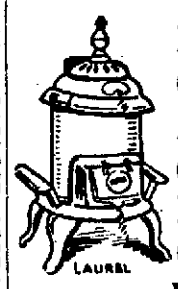

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PERSONAL MENTION

E. J. Fleming and wife of Los Angeles are guests at the Sequoia hotel.

Fred G. Wheaton of Helm is in Fresno on business and is stopping at the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lockwood of San Diego, are staying at the Hotel Fresno.

K. P. West, a business man of Oakland, is at the Sequoia while in Fresno on a short business trip.

C. Jerrold Owen, formerly on the editorial staff of the Republican, but now with the Portland Oregonian, is in Fresno on a business and pleasure trip. He will visit at the exposition before returning to Portland. Mr. Owen is accompanied by his mother, Mrs. C. J. Owen. They are staying at the Hotel Fresno.

George B. Bush of Riverside, is at the Hotel Fresno.

C. T. Hamel, San Francisco; and A. S. Hudson, Sacramento, are guests at the Sequoia.

James P. Sweeney, attorney from San Francisco; A. C. Weil, San Francisco attorney; J. B. Newman, mine owner from Los Angeles; A. J. Pollok, engineer; and Oscar Lawlor, an attorney from Los Angeles, are all registered at the Hotel Fresno. They are in attendance at the Federal court.

Judge Curtis Lindley of San Francisco, is presiding in the Superior court here. He is registered at the Hotel Fresno.

Robert C. Parker of Oakland and Lloyd E. Johnson of St. Louis, are staying at the Hotel Fresno.

Porter L. Bliss of San Francisco, is a guest at the Hotel Fresno.

IN THE LODGE ROOM

Red Men.

At the regular meeting of Pitlaches Tribe tonight the adoption degree will be conferred in full form on two palefaces recently captured. The meeting will also be marked by a visit from one of the great chiefs of the reservation of California, Porter L. Bliss, great chief of records. The tribe is preparing to enter on the hunt for palefaces and has engaged the services of a competent hunter from the hunting grounds of San Francisco. The drill team recently organized is showing the material for a good one, and has hopes of being the lucky team to be sent to Eureka in 1916 to the Great Council.

Degree of Pocahontas.

Invitations have been issued for a pre-Hallowe'en social for the members of Pitlaches Council, Degree of Pocahontas, for Thursday evening in the lodge parlor.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

BROWN-BAKER—Bert S. Brown, New York, 22, Calwa, to Dorothy S. Baker, Illinois, 18, San Antonio, Texas.

FERSHALL-SINECK — George Pershall, Kansas, 37, Watsonville, to Caroline Sineck, Germany, 40, Watsonville.

CHAMPNESS - PELLADINE — Edward Champness, California, 26, Selma, to Catharine Palladine, California, 19, Selma.

COLE-CLARK—Allen Cole, California, 21, Fresno, to Rozetta Clark, California, 18, Fresno.

FANSET - KOENEKE — Carl J. Fanset, California, 24, Biola, to Christina K. H. Koeneke, Oregon, 18, Biola.

DEATHS

CRAWFORD—In this city, October 17, 1915, D. D. Crawford, aged 23 years.

Funeral from Hopkins & Son, 1240 I street, this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment Mountain View cemetery.

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—MAIN FLOOR

We Are Actually Selling $27.50 and $30.00 Fall Suits at $19.75

Choose From 12 Styles Today

—Everybody, it seems, is talking about our suits at $19.75. Scores and scores of women have compared them with suits selling elsewhere at $25 and $30, and have declared our suits to be better made from finer materials, and in smarter and more original styles. Today you may choose from 12 different styles, just received from New York. New box-coat effects and semi-Norfolk models, some fur trimmed, others with the favored military touches. Materials are broadcloths, gabardines, whipcords and poplins, in the fashionable autumn shades. Sizes for women and misses. Suits the leading makers designed and produced to be retailed at $27.50 and $30, with ALTERATIONS FREE **$19.75**

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—Plush coats with shawl collars and deep cuffs; also coats in fancy mixture cloths. Full flaring styles. All sizes. $25 values **$14.75**

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—Women's dress skirts in serge, poplin, gabardine and fancy mixtures. Wide, full flaring styles, in all sizes. Skirts usually sold at $5 ..... **$2.98**

$3 Silk Petticoats $1.98

—A big lot of silk petticoats have just arrived, a great special purchase involving spot cash. Made of taffeta silk or messaline, in the season's leading shades. Cut extra full. The petticoats you've been paying $3 for, at **$1.98**

—SECOND FLOOR

Greatest Rug Sale in Months!

Mended Gloves 89c

$1.50 & $2 Grades

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—Main Floor

Underwear 25c

—Women's Shirts and Pants; shirts have high neck and long sleeves; pants are ankle length and finished at waist with band; fine fleeced garments; for cold weather wear; the very best underwear that we've ever been able to offer at the bargain price of **25c**

—Main Floor

Fancy Dresden Ribbon 19c

—All silk taffeta, moire and floral ribbons in widths 4 to 5 1-2 inches; all shades and combinations, in fancy Oriental and Persian patterns; beautifully adapted for fancy work, sashes, hair bows and hat trimmings; buy now and begin your Xmas gifts. Special at, a yard **19c**

—Main Floor

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At $20.95

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$17.50 & $20 Brussels Rugs $14.85

—Here is another wonderful rug value. Heavy wool, seamless Brussels rugs, size 9x12 feet, and in 18 Oriental and floral patterns in new color combinations. Our regular $17.50 and $20 rugs at **$14.85**

—THIRD FLOOR

$1.98 Comforts $1.19

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—Fine wool-nap Blankets.

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—Bleached Canton Flannel.

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—Plain white; soft and warm.

Apron Gingham 7 1-2c
—Fast color indigo blue; all size checks.

12 Yds. Longcloth $1.10
—Chamois finish; 36 inches wide.

12 1-2c Toweling 10c
—Bleached crash; 17 inches wide.

—Main Floor

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-SOCIETY-

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson, who entertained at a family reunion on Sunday

Mrs. Truman G. Hart has as her house guests, her sisters, Mrs. T. J. Nolan and Miss Mary Trowbridge, of San Francisco.

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Mrs. Edward Nelson will entertain the members of her card club on Friday afternoon at her home on Dudley avenue.

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Among the anticipated events of the week will be that of Friday evening, when the first of the season series of musical entertainments will be featured by the Philharmonic Society, the attraction to be no less a personage than Clarence Eddy, the famed pipe organist in a program to be given at the First M E church. The organization is one whose nucleus is made up of high school students, with the addition of townspeople interested in the entertainments. The season's admittance is very nominal and several of the entertainments included in the series are each worth more than the price of the entire series.

One of them is that of Carrie Jacobs-Bond, who will come to Fresno for the first time, early in the new year, under the direction of the Philharmonic Society.

Mrs. Permelia Newby Gale is also to give one of the season's concerts. In addition there will be two concerts with local talent.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Dunn returned on Sunday night from San Francisco, where they enjoyed a very delightful week's visit at the Panama Exposition.

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Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Painter, and little son, of Merced, were week-end guests of Mrs. Gertrude B. Aten.

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An interesting family reunion which was celebrated on Sunday was that of the F. M. Johnson family, whose members assembled at the family home, 970 Angus street for the first reunion in almost a score of years. A dinner was the form of entertainment, the following children of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson being grouped about the festal board: R. S. Johnson of Seattle, Rev. N. F. Johnson, of Monticello, Mo., M. A. Johnson, Mrs. H. L. Dunn, J. T. Johnson of San Luis Obispo, O. F. Johnson, of San Francisco.

Among those who joined in the pleasant reunion were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson, Robert S. Johnson of Seattle, Wash.; Rev. N. Frank Johnson and wife, Monticello, Mo.; Marvin A. Johnson and family, Fresno; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dunn and family, Fresno; Taylor J. Johnson, San Luis Obispo; Otis F. Johnson, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Barr, Parlier; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dudley; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Johnson, Parlier; Miss Alberta Johnson; Mrs. L. Rickards; Mr. F. A. Barr, Maywood, Mo.; Miss Lucille Nunn, Maywood, Mo.; Miss Florence Wiseman, Parlier, Calif.; C. A. Weatherby and family, Parlier; Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McKinney and family, Parlier; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schofield, Parlier

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An interesting marriage that was solemnized on Sunday at Kentfield, was that which claimed Miss Gladys Blumenberg and James Baxter Sarratt as principals in the ceremony. Miss Blumenberg claims a number of friends in Fresno, having been delightfully entertained here several seasons ago, by her sister, Mrs. Alfred H. Becker. The wedding was attractively appointed, being an out of door ceremony with banks of pink and white chrysanthemums, massed against greenery for the background of the bridal party. Rev. Lynn White of the Presbyterian Church was the officiating clergyman, and the bride was attended by Miss Beatrice Sperbeck, who also was a guest in the Becker household in Fresno. Harold P. Brisham attended as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Sarratt are spending their honeymoon at Del Monte, and will later return to San Francisco to reside.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Goodwin entertained at dinner last night, complimenting their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Schallenberger and son, of Los Angeles.

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The Acacia Circle Thimble Club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Hollenbeck, 403 J street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Business of importance will be presented and all members are requested to be in attendance.

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William and Ethel Byrn, two attractive children of San Antonio, Texas, who are enjoying a visit in Fresno with their grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Byrn, at 3131 Balch avenue, entertained a number of their young friends at a party yesterday afternoon. Those present were Jack Henderson, Harvey Whistler, Helen Graves, Edna Kell, Cleon Kelly, Ruth Ward, Nada Joanavich, Radway Joanavich, Claude Bennett, Eugene Bennett, William Byrn, Ethel Marie Byrn.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barnes and little daughter of Fullerton, Nebraska, are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. J. W. Zibble and family. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes are en route to the two expositions and other places of interest in California.

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The Harmony Sewing Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Rutherford, 320 Clark street, on Wednesday afternoon.

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The marriage of Miss Christina K. Koeneke and Carl J. Fausel, a popular young couple of Biola, was solemnized yesterday at the home of Rev. Thiele, who was the officiating clergyman. A wedding breakfast followed at the G. L. Aynesworth residence, and later the couple left for San Francisco on their honeymoon.

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Mrs. James H. Smith, Jr., entertained very happily yesterday at her home on 2326 Inyo street, complimenting Miss Esther Mead, whose marriage to O. Peterson will be an event of the near future. A luncheon was the expression of hospitality shown, and the table was ornate with pink roses and ferns, with cupid cards and orange blossoms as place favors. The afternoon was informally spent in hemming tea towels for the new home.

Among those in the party were Misses Betty Brooks, Bernice Misenheimer, Louise Rhymes, Mary Martina, Ethel Mead, Olive Mead, Maude Nolan, Frances Uniache, Esther Mead, Felicia Jones, Mesdames Roy Cass, Monte Cass, Elwin Sims, and Mrs. Smith. On Saturday evening Miss Uniache entertained in compliment to Miss Mead.

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Little Edith Nelson was the guest of honor at a surprise party yesterday, when her ninth birthday was the incentive for a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nelson on Kearney avenue. Following an afternoon of games, refreshments were served at a table that was attractively decorated in a pink and white color scheme.

Among those in the party were Edith Nelson, Neettie Lynch, Mildred Dismukes, Aline Benedict, Allen Lynch, Marvis LeRoy, Will Lynch, Reatha LeRoy, Olin Nelson, Stanley Lynch, Manly Nelson, Irvin Lynch.

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The Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at half past two in the church parlor. Mrs. Adams, dean of women at the local high school, will deliver an address.

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The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will meet in the church parlors at half past two this afternoon. The national corresponding secretary, Mrs. May Leonard Woodruff, will give an address.

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The Columbia Social Club will hold a meeting on Thursday evening at the Parish hall, when a parcels post sale will be a feature of the occasion. All those having parcels are asked to deliver them not later than Thursday morning, to Mrs. J. P. Goodman, 226 F street.

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The North Park Chapter of St. James Guild will hold an important meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. L. Strother on Mildreda and Yosemite avenues.

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Wedding cards are being received locally by the numerous friends of the bride, telling of the marriage of Miss Helen Louise Sprague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Almerin R. Sprague, and Augustus Talley Parsons, on Thursday, October 14 in Berkeley. Mrs. Parsons, as Miss Sprague,

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District Club Events

Members of the Query club held a very interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. O. Baker, when a program of current events was presented under the leadership of Mrs. W. W. Cross. Mrs. Milton Dearing and the hostess.

Mrs. Montgomery Thomas gave a short talk on the ballot and the non-partisan law. A review of Gene Stratton Porter's latest book, "Michael O'Halloran," was interestingly presented by Mrs. W. D. Noble, and an up-to-the-minute talk on the European war was contributed by Mrs. De-Witt H. Gray. Mrs. Walter Shoemaker gave a sketch of James Whitcomb Riley, the "Hoosier poet," and some of his poems. Dramatic readings of Browning's "Clize," and also "Life and Sunshine," by Sidney Lanier, were excellently given by Mrs. Martha Hudson White, recently of Chicago.

The club will meet next week at the home of Mrs. W. D. Crichton. Mrs. W. P. Miller leading in the study of "Das Rheingold."

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A feature of especial interest to mothers who are members of the Lindsay Tuesday club, will be the lecture by Mr. George Hunting of Fresno normal school at the Lindsay arboretum this afternoon at 2:30.

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The Coalinga Woman's club and the Welcome club have secured Katherine Phillips Edson for two lectures to be delivered Wednesday, to which the general public is invited.

On the afternoon of that day she will lecture before the Welcome club in their club house in the West Side field, choosing for her subject "Women in Industry and its Relation to the Home." In the evening, at the Open Court in the Library building, and under the auspices of the Coalinga Woman's club, the title of her lecture will be the non-partisan bill or any other measure on the ballot that the members of the club should prefer.

Mrs. Edson is a prominent club woman of Southern California, for several years chairman of the department of social and industrial conditions of the State Federation of Women's clubs, and is also prominent in legislative work.

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An important program in the schedule of the Modesto Woman's Improvement club, was given yesterday afternoon at the regular club meeting when Gustavus Schneider, supervisor of the Berkeley playground system, lectured upon the subject, "Playgrounds for Modesto." Following up their work of establishing a park system for Modesto, the club expects to take up a plan of making a playground system, the complete establishment of it to be the object of the club for five or seven years. This will necessarily be a large undertaking, and the club is gathering expert advice, so that every step in the work may look toward permanency. Mr. Schneider arrived in Modesto Saturday and made a visit to all the parks with the playground committee. In his address today he outlined a system that will provide for the growing population as well as the present number of children to be considered. The Camp Fire girls furnished the music for the program and served refreshments.

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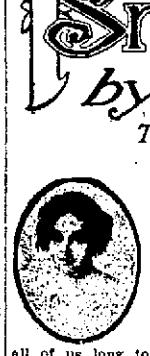
The Literary department of the Woman's Improvement club of Madera, will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the club house, Mrs. W. P. Miller being scheduled to talk on the modern drama.

Snapshots by Barbara Boyd

The Message of Our Mirror



We spend much of our time looking in our mirror. Usually we look for one thing, some of us sadly because we see it not; others, with pride or pleasure, because it gazes back at us.

The one thing all of us long to find is beauty, or good looks, or prettiness, as we variously call it. Some of us would be satisfied if only a note were reflected.

How we would delight to see a rose-leaf complexion; thick, beautiful hair, adorable eyes, red lips, an alluring dimple. We might even be willing to relinquish the dimple could we have the others.

How we sigh when we see none of these, but instead a snub nose, a muddy complexion, hair that is alarmingly thin and dastardly white about the temples.

And we hasten to overcome, by such ways as we may, these defects of nature or unkind touches of Father Time.

And that is all our mirror tells us as we gaze in it morning, noon and night, day in and out.

Yet how much that wise mirror could say, if we had ear as well as eyes for its message.

If we are beautiful, it perhaps has a more urgent message than if we are not. For there is danger in beauty.

Beauty is apt to be arrogant, seemingly to take all the credit to itself for its loveliness. Rather should it be graceful, appreciative; for it is after all, nature's doing, just as this same wise mother nature makes a rose beautiful. And the beautiful woman should be as unconscious of her charm as is a rose, and as willing to give of it to all whom it will make happy.

Beauty is apt to be selfish. Because the world's best is showered at its feet, it is apt to regard this as its right, to demand it. But the one who is beautiful has already been given so much, she should not ask for more.

For in the end, beauty will fade, and in its place some day will shine from the mirror the traits left in its place. If they are as lovely as the physical charms they have replaced, life will have been a beautiful thing. But if not—look deeply and earnestly into your mirror for life's message before it is too late.

Herein lies the comfort of the mirror's message to the homely. Beauty of character makes its impression, not so quickly perhaps, but in the final count far more surely, than mere beauty of face.

The eyes may not be adorable, but if they express kindness, good will, sympathy, they will grow beautiful.

The lips may be thin and pale, but if there is always a smile, a word of help and encouragement, they become the lips we love.

If the thought of you is always the thought of some one pleasant, some one kindly, some one helpful, some one who adds to the happiness of the world, you have the gift of greatest beauty, the beauty of the spirit which is finer and higher than the beauty of the body.

This is the message the mirror would like to tel, many a woman—if you are beautiful, look more deeply and make sure of the beauty that lasts; if you are homely, put a smile on the lips which are not pretty, put kindliness into the eyes that are dull, let sunniness and sympathy radiate from the face. And the shape of the nose and the color of the complexion are soon forgotten in these more enduring charms.

Read below the surface message of the mirror to its deeper meanings.

BARBARA BOYD.

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She attended the wedding. Afterwards we sold five corsets, one to her sister, and four other ladies to whom she had talked about how delighted she was and how glad she was that she had found the La Camille corset. The style No. was 54CLL at $5.00. Will you call and see it?

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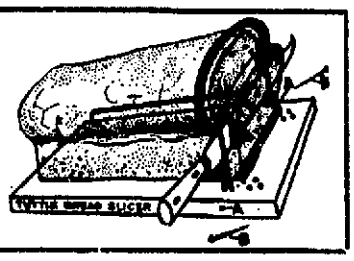

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BIG CROWDS PACK EMPIRE THEATER

NEW POLICY MEETS WITH BIG FAVOR

Shadowgraphs As Given by the Stanleys—At Empire

The manner in which Fresno patronized, and nearly all of the evening, have taken to the new policy inaugurated at the Empire Theatre yesterday, proves that they have been looking for something new in the line of amusements, and Bert Levey surely satisfied their wants with the show he gave them for the money on the opening bill. A continuous policy was put into effect, which will be adhered to in the future on Sundays and holidays. This enables the patrons of the cozy little play-house to come at any time during the day, and witness an entire performance, without the displeasure of waiting for a specified time.

The little theater was packed to capacity several times during the afternoon, and at times hundreds were turned away.

The big show met with the hearty approval of its auditors at all performances and to say that the enormous crowds that attended were very highly pleased, is putting it very mildly.

One big feature of the present bill is the five-reel Shubert photo drama, "The Flash of an Emerald." The leading role is played by Mr. Robert Warwick, as Lucious Waldeck, in which character he displays some wonderful work. This particular part is quite out of Mr. Warwick's line, being entirely away from anything he has ever before attempted, however, he is an artist in every sense of the word, and consequently handles his new role to great advantage.

Mr. Warwick, who spoken to on the subject, frankly said that he welcomed the opportunity of making a thorough exposition of the versatility of his art.

The Flash of an Emerald has the advantage of beautiful settings, excellent stage direction, and as a whole it is a very interesting picture.

On the vaudeville bill are four acts of the high-class kind. The first of the program was started off by the Aerial Patts, who present a miniature act on the trapeze. They have been identified with several noted organizations such as the Barnum Show, Ringling Bros. and the Wallace shows, having put in a few seasons with each. Their work is so rapid that one act is finished before you have time to realize that the first accomplished.

Nadley, in a clever juggling act in which he employs the use of wax and hats, entitled "The Silver Shower," was a big favorite with last night's crowds. His work is extremely clever, and he is possessed of a wonderful wealth of versatility. Following the Patts he was enthusiastically encored.

Campbell & Greenwood, two good comedy people, helped along the fun and added much to the show. Both have pleasing voices and we hope to hear from them to good advantage.

Closing the vaudeville program is none other than the Stanleys who present their famous shadowgraph depicting Fox in Sheepskin. The main feature connected with this act, is the pantomime secured by a fully impossible drama, when thrown upon the screen the one cannot help but enjoy the full good value of the offering. The Stanleys are past masters at their particular art, and their act is a splendid attraction for any bill. Particularly so as the "Silhouettes" received a fair measure of applause at last night's performances.

The new management is making every effort to please its patrons, and give them full value of their money, which deserves substantial support of the public.

FRED PERRY ACHIEVES IMPRESSIVE TRIUMPH

Frederick Perry, noted star in "Dr. Rameau"—Fresno Pluto Theater.

In "Dr. Rameau," which unfolds one of the most powerful stories presented upon the screen, Frederick Perry, who achieved such an impressive personal triumph in the Broadway success "Old Heidelberg," is afforded a role in which he unquestionably adds new laurels to his fame.

Many Big Moments

The story by George Obert is replete with big moments, no let up in the action, and in the particular strong scenes leading up to the climax, the suspense is overwhelming.

The most dramatic scenes of this production comes when Dr. Rameau discovers that the child whom he had thought was his own was really the daughter of another, he becomes unbalanced. He drives the daughter from the house into a blinding rainstorm. The girl becomes seriously ill, and his friends persuade him to treat her. During all this time the thought of the wife's unfaithfulness has been preying on his mind, and the further mention of the child makes him a veritable mad man. The climax furnishes a startling surprise.

Tomorrow Porter Emerson Brown's "The Spendthrift"

Have you ever been so thoroughly entertained in any manner, that when recalling your mental and emotional experiences you found it difficult to describe those experiences in a worthy manner?

That is just how a critic felt in beginning to write a review of "The Spendthrift" which arrives at the Fresno Pluto tomorrow.

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As Helen Scott, Charlotte Walker Conspires Against Her Unknow Self To Destroy Her Own Factory—Kinema

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Fresno Auto Races Also at Kinema Today

The Pathe Weekly today shows a few short glimpses of the recent auto races at the Fresno District Fair. The aftermath of the frightful auto accident, which resulted in the death of two drivers is seen, as well as views of the grandstands and prominent Fresnans. One scene is centered on Governor Johnson, with Chester H. Rowell of the Republican, C. G. Eberhart, secretary of the Fresno Fair, E. A. Berg, Director of Publicity, and Sig Levy, director of exploitation of the Fresno Fair. Eddie Waterman, of Fresno, who got second place is to be seen at the wheel. The Pearl program at the Kinema includes the "Diamond from the Sky" and two rippling comedies.

JOSE'S VOICE BETTER THAN EVER, STATE CRITICS OF SINGING

Appears in Person With Picture Production

Richard Jose now at White Theater.

Richard J. Jose appeared again at the White theater last night to a good sized house. And tonight, tomorrow matinee and evening will close the engagement. Jose is known as one of the leading characters in a six-reel production entitled "Silver Threads Among the Gold" and sings several times as the reels are shown. The pictures are very clear and are also very interesting, a moral lesson throughout them with a strong appeal for happiness. Appropriate organ music is played as an accompaniment.

Orpheum Show Coming

We have in store for us this week, so Manager Orpheum announcement goes, "the best yet" in Orpheum vaudeville. All the previous shows are good, however, some of the shows

Madge Caldwell in "A Telephone Tangle" coming with Orpheum show this week.

please some of the people better than others and this week's bill will come nearer pleasing everyone than anything yet presented. "A Telephone Tangle," with Madge Caldwell, and under the direction of Joseph Hart, comes first on the head-liners; then we will also have Erwin and Jane Connelly in the dramatic success, "Sweethearts," the Beaumont & Arnold Bessie Browning, The Original Honolulu Glee Club, Charles DeGressett, the tiny prima donna, and George Chaye, famous Japanese athlete; also new orpheum motion pictures. Seats are going rapidly for the week's engagement, box office having opened Monday.

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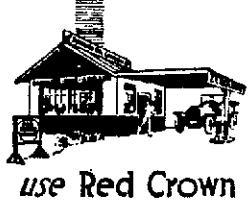

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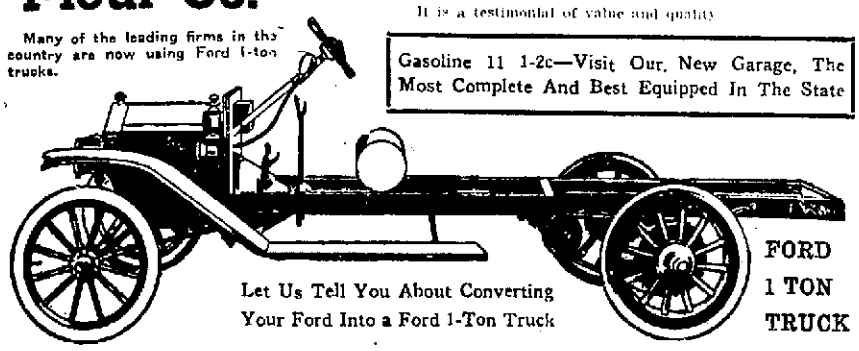

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EASTERN FARMERS ARE COMING TO FRESNO

Special Train With Representatives From Nineteen States Is En Route

Will Arrive Here Monday Afternoon Next to Be Shown Over Country

They're coming. Will arrive in Fresno Monday afternoon, October 25. And automobiles will be needed. The Santa Fe Farmers' special, which is carrying a party of farmers from nineteen states will arrive on the date named and Fresno is expected to put its best foot forward.

The special differs from the ordinary in that it is bringing a number of well known and thorough farmers from the region which is traversed by the Santa Fe railway in the Middle West, and from sections of the country as far east as New York. The party comes to shake hands with old friends who preceded them. Not only this, but it is a get acquainted party and all who wear the badge come with a desire to shake hands with every one they meet.

Today this party is in southern California. Included in this jolly party, the youngest member of which is Baby Mary Baker from Waterside, Pa. She is 17 months old. The oldest is—no, he don't look it—is J. Swain from Akron, Ohio, married twenty-four years ago, 48 years old today. The governor of Pennsylvania had a cousin on board. His name is M. R. Brumbaugh from Martinsburg, Pa. On the train is printed a daily paper of which Charley Seagraves is the editor. He is well known in Fresno.

From this daily journal the announcement is made that the party is to be the guest of the commercial clubs for auto trips to help burn up some of the gasoline that is made in this Golden State, and which most of these farmers aid in burning when they are at home. Bakersfield, Visalia, Tulare, Hanford, Fresno, Merced, Hughson are expected to help entertain the party in showing them around the country.

In this connection, N. R. Cooper of Fresno calls upon the people of Fresno for automobiles to help show the party around, for on arrival next Monday at 3 p. m. the party will leave at once for Kearney Park.

Tuesday the party will take an all-day trip. They will go south from Fresno and Calwa to Olander, east to Fowler, to Parlier and Reedley, south to Dinuba and Orosi (providing autos are furnished), to Orange Cove, to Wahtoke, through the Great Western winery, thence up to Bobtown to the headgates of the Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company, where luncheon will be served. The return will be to Centerville, to Sanger, to Roeding, and then to Fresno.

Nineteen states are represented in the party. These states are Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Texas, Canada.

Prominent members of the party include Dillwin Stratton of Winona, Minn., who is ex-president of the National Jersey Dairy Association, and Prof. H. W. Mumford of the agricultural department of the University of California.

PARTISANS PROMISE VERY LIVELY WEEK

Number Meetings Scheduled for Hawson, Cary, Short and Cosgrave

The opponents of the non-partisan election law will make a lively campaign this week, the last one preceding the election. A number of meetings have been arranged which will be addressed by Frank H. Short, Assemblyman Henry Hawson, L. B. Cary and George Cosgrave of Fresno and State Senator J. L. Irwin of Kings county. Last evening at Riverside a meeting was addressed by L. B. Cary and Henry Hawson. Meetings arranged for this week are as follows:

Wednesday evening, Barstow hall in Barstow colony where Messrs. Cary, Hawson and Cosgrave will speak.

Thursday night at Hanford in the opera house the speakers to be Messrs. Hawson and Cary.

Friday night at Coalinga to be addressed by Senator J. L. Irwin of Hanford, and L. B. Cary of Fresno.

Saturday night at Madera with Senator Irwin and L. B. Cary as the speakers.

Afternoon meetings have also been arranged as follows:

Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Temperance hall in Clovis, and at 2:30 o'clock in the open air in Clovis the speakers to be Hawson and Cary.

Saturday afternoon in Fowler, Selma, and Kingsburg, at 2, 2:30 and 3 respectively, the speakers being Messrs. Hawson and Cary.

Monday night at Sanger with Messrs. Hawson and Cary as the speakers.

Saturday night, October 23, a meeting has been tentatively arranged for the Fresno Auditorium.

Frank Short will address meetings at Merced, date not yet fixed; Turlock, Wednesday night; Reedley, Friday night.

Society Notes

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spent several seasons in Fresno, where she was one of the most popular teachers in the local high school. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons are to make their home after November 15, at 1751 Tacoma avenue, in Berkeley.

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The Ladies' Alliance of the First Unitarian church will meet this afternoon at the church at half past two. Mrs. George Babcock will lead in an afternoon's study of current events.

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The Art Circle of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the church. Refreshments will be served.

SEVEN FRESNO MEN TO ASSIST RURAL CREDITS BOARD

Commission to Open Hearings Tomorrow at C. of C. Building

Farmers to Tell of Their Financial Needs On Thursday

FRESNO WITNESSES

The witnesses who will appear before the Commission tomorrow at the Chamber of Commerce building, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., are:

E. E. Manheim, president of the Farmers' National Bank.

James Madison, manager of the California Associated Raisin Company.

F. K. Prescott, vice-president of the Peoples' Saving Bank.

William Glass, chairman of the executive committee of the Peach Growers' Association.

W. W. Phillips, farmer and president of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce.

Fred P. Roullard, Fresno County horticultural commissioner.

L. A. Nares, manager of Laguna Lands, Ltd.

Seven Fresno business men accepted invitations yesterday to appear before the Commission on Rural Credits and Colonization at the Chamber of Commerce building either tomorrow or next day for the purpose of telling what state action they deem as necessary for the financial relief of the small or pioneer farmer in California. Edgar Allen Forbes, who is here to arrange for the hearing, said last night that the local business men are keenly interested in the work of the commission and are anxious to aid in bringing out the facts about farming in the San Joaquin valley. Wednesday will be devoted to hearing the opinions of the business men, while Thursday will be given over to hearing what the farmer or orchardist has to say regarding his financial needs to make a "go" of his farming undertakings.

The hearings will be public and each man going before the board will be allowed from 45 minutes to an hour to outline his plan of relief for the agriculturist, who under the present system is over-burdened with a high rate of interest and lack of funds to properly develop his holdings.

"It is to the interest and for the welfare of the state in general that a rural credits amendment is proposed," said Forbes. "The European or Australian farmer can borrow his money at a very low rate of interest, while our American farmer must pay an exorbitant price for funds to develop his land. If the people vote in favor of the amendment on October 26, the California farmer will be given an opportunity to develop this state ahead of any other section in this country. Naturally, that means prosperity for all lines of business, for when the farmer has money, everybody is doing well."

In the absence of Judge Austin, who is in Santa Barbara, Judge Church presided in Department No. 1 of the Superior Court yesterday as well as in his own department No. 2.

1400 GATHER AT TENT TO HEAR EVANGELIST

The Rev. Shannon Builds Sermon Around Meanings of Word "Now"

Fourteen hundred persons gathered at the revival tent N and Mariposa streets last night to hear the Rev. Dan Shannon deliver a spirited address on "Now." Two persons confessed conversion.

The Reverend Shannon dwelt upon the significance and importance of the short word which he selected for the caption of his evening's address. He urged the necessity for an understanding of the importance of the fact, that, today is the day of salvation.

The word "now" is a short one but full of meaning, the evangelist said. He showed the benefits derived from an appreciation of this fact to be many. He spoke of the dangers of delay. He attempted to impress his hearers with the need of religion now—today.

The Rev. Roy O. Youtz led the choir.

$4,310 SUBSCRIBED BY GROWERS OF HANFORD

Enthusiastic Meeting Is Held in Kings County Seat

Radin & Kamp Take $600; Big List Received From Dinuba

Subscriptions amounting to $4,310 were taken in for the proposed peach growers' company at an enthusiastic meeting held in Hanford last night and promises were given out that more subscriptions will be made today. Members of the executive committee, having the work in charge, were present from Fresno and made talks. W. J. Wilson, J. J. Cortner, L. H. Hitchcock, Sumner Raney and George W. Railsback were appointed a committee to solicit further subscriptions. The following is a list of those who subscribed last night:

H. R. Lanes, Hanford, $50; W. J. Wilson, Grangeville, $320; F. M. Parrish, Hanford, $200; H. S. Hampton, Hardwick $180; H. J. Raisch, Hanford, $160; Otto L. Kurtz, Lemoore, $200; A. W. Lane, Hanford, $80; J. E. Sanborn, Hanford, $800; L. H. Hitchcock, Hanford, $200; Thomas Harrison, Hanford, $200; E. J. Hummel, Hanford, $800; Fred Mills, Hanford, $440; M. E. Luis, Hanford, $60; M. M. Joaquin, Selma, $80; Leslie S. Smith, Hanford, $100; A. G. Robinson, Hanford, $200; J. C. Rice, Hanford, $200.

Radin & Kamp Take Stock

A subscription of $600 was received by the committee yesterday from Radin & Kamp.

George T. McCabe, secretary of the Stanislaus County Chamber of Commerce, advised William Robertson, secretary of the Fresno Chamber of Commerce, by letter yesterday that his organization will be glad to arrange for a growers' meeting on any date the central committee may choose to visit Modesto. He reported that many of the growers are interested in the plan to organize and are anxiously awaiting full information regarding the work proposed by the central body. As soon as possible speakers will take advantage of McCabe's offer to visit Modesto and start the organization work off on the business like schedule now in operation in this section of the peach belt.

A subscription report aggregating $4870 was received yesterday by William Robertson, from the Dinuba Chamber of Commerce. The growers in that vicinity are deeply interested in the organization of an association and further subscriptions are expected in the near future.

The names of those making subscriptions are.

C. F. Collins of Visalia, $420; Don Clubb, $160; David, Saro, $40; R. S. Arthur, $80; L. A. Andrews, $200; Will F. Rhodes, $40; W. L. Carmichael, $80; S. Tout of Sultana, $160; A. Carbon of Dinuba, $40; R. C. Switzer of Dinuba, $200; A. F. White of Dinuba, $200; W. D. Nichols of Dinuba, $100; E. S. Elligman of Dinuba, $100; John McBrian of Reedley, $400; J. H. Duff of Reedley, $120; Anton Neilson of Reedley, $400; Audreas H. Anderson of Parlier, $100; T. C. Thompsen of Selma, $200; Fred Gwetzig, Jr., $100; T. H. Hollis, of Dinuba, $100; J. E. Harper of Dinuba, $120; J. C. Truesdale of Dinuba, $100; George G. Hobbs of Dinuba, $40; W. F. McCracken of Dinuba, $400; S. L. Wallenbrach, $40; A. W. Lee of Dinuba, $80; J. R. Locke of Dinuba, $40; N. T. Stump of Dinuba, $40; W. E. Lindley of Dinuba, $200; H. G. Pedings of Bowles, $120; and Charles E. Folerton of Dinuba, $40.

Y. M. NOTES

With a membership of thirty young men and boys, the Efficiency Club of the Y. M. C. A. was reorganized for the winter season in a meeting last night. The club will take up a study of the prophecies and their fulfillment in the Bible under the instruction of A. L. Munger.

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Principals of the various elementary schools of the city, the instructors in the Fresno high school and men generally connected with educational work in Fresno are emulating the childish pranks and games of the children whom they supervise during the day in the Y. M. C. A. schoolmasters' gymnasium classes which meet on Monday and Thursday afternoons. Fifteen schoolmasters of the city are now enrolled in the work. The schedule for their work includes an hour in the gymnasium and afterward a swim in the association pool.

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A dinner for the members of the boys' department will be held to organize the boys' teams for the Y. M. C. A. membership campaign which is to open October 28. Speeches will be made by the various members of the association in arousing interest in the work.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

McGUICKIN-TAYLOR—In Los Angeles, October 18, 1915, Harold M. McGuickin, 32, of Fresno, and Blanche B. Taylor, 26, of Three Rivers.

Every married man and woman should see "The Spendthrift."—At Fresno Photo.

—Advertisement.

DELUGE OF MONEY FALLS ON TAX COLLECTOR

All Records for First Days Payments of Taxes Shattered

Every Minute and a Half a Tax Bill Was Paid

Every minute and a half yesterday a taxpayer of Fresno county received a tax receipt for the first installment of his taxes for this year. Money was stacked up in the tax collector's office like cord wood. When the day's business was counted up, the receipts were found to be $17,267.98, the greatest amount of money ever paid into the tax collector's office on the first day that taxes become due in the history of the county. Last year on the first day receipts were $5,805.42.

Among the first to ask the collector for receipts were Dr. J. C. Cooper of Fresno, and Charles DeLong of Los Gatos.

From the opening of the tax collector's office until the close there was a constant stream of people lined up in front of the counters. The total number who paid their taxes was 448.

OLDEST SCHOOL TRUSTEE RESIGNS

Jaremiah Hurley, who is one of the oldest school trustees in continuous service in Fresno county, has resigned as trustee of Auberry and William Beckman has been appointed to succeed him. The reason for the resignation is that Mr. Hurley has moved with his family to the Walter school district.

Kills Too Many Ducks—Hunter Has to Pay Fine

Del Carlo, a resident of Firebaugh, is the first offender to be arrested and fined for violation of the game law since the opening of the duck season, October 15. Carlo was arrested by Deputy Commissioner A. H. Brown near Firebaugh Friday. He appeared before Judge Graham and was fined $25.

Carlo exceeded the day's limit for ducks. The birds were confiscated and donated to the Fresno County Orphanage.

Mr. Beck, the artist, has just remodeled his studio throughout making it one of the neatest in the valley. Call and examine some of our new styles in photographic art. Now is the time for Xmas work before the rush. If you have been stung with a photographic coupon we will cash it in our class of work. Mr. Beck has come back and is at his best and will take personal pleasure in giving patrons the best. Remember his samples are of Fresno people, made in Fresno. When any photographer shows you a picture of some one you don't know, 10 to 1 shot he never made it and you won't get that class of work. There are lots of fine photos made in the city and they are easily purchased. Mr. Beck has been employed in every first-class studio in San Francisco and also large cities in the East and could always go back, and he never worked for a coupon grafter.

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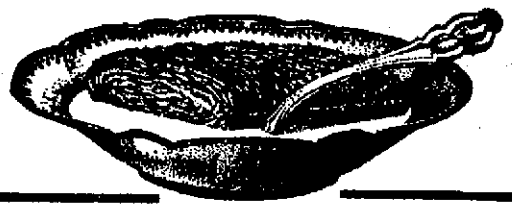

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California Oil Field News

REPORT IS GIVEN OF STATE MINERAL YIELD

Value of Crude Material During 1914 Totalled Sum of $93,436,553

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—The completed, detailed report of the mineral yield of California for the year 1914, compiled under the direction of Fletcher Hamilton, state mineralogist, is now ready for distribution in the form of Bulletin 70 of the State Mining Bureau. California stands preeminent among the states of the Union in the diversity of her mineral wealth and is exceeded in the total value of the annual output by only four states, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Colorado and Montana.

California's yield for the year 1914, though a slight decrease from that of 1913, due to the general business depression which pervaded the entire country for the greater part of 1914, nevertheless the creditable sum of $93,436,553 worth of crude materials. It should be borne in mind that this value, with the exception of gold, silver and quicksilver, is as far as obtainable, that of the crude materials as the mine or quarry, as well as the case may be, and not sale prices, as at the marketing centers, which would include the charges of transportation and refining, costs and the middleman's profits.

The gold yield of 907,115 fine ounces, valued at $20,653,700 was, with the exception of 1852, the greatest of any year in California since 1864. California leads all states in this item, as well as petroleum which is the largest single item here, the 1914 figures for which were: 102,881,907 barrels, value $17,187,109. The structural materials, including cement, crushed rock, building stones, hold a prominent place, and are growing in importance each year. Their total for 1914 was $14,169,984.

An appendix contains the principal California and Federal mining laws.

QUICKSILVER IS NOW IN DEMAND

COALINGA, Oct. 18.—The demand for quicksilver is brisk, and has started a number of mines to begin development. The Pattiquea Quicksilver Mining Company, located on Table Mountain, about one mile north of Parkfield, owns three mining claims, all 60 acres. A small retort is being operated at the present time, turning out an average of 20 flasks per month, 76 pounds per flask. The quicksilver sold last week were $84.75 per flask. Six men are employed on the property. The company ships its product via San Miguel. The fixtures for pumps and machinery are secured at Coalinga.

BRIEF OIL NOTES OF MIDWAY FIELD

TAFT, Oct. 18.—The No. 6 well of the Consolidated Mutual Oil company, on section 20, 31-23, which was reported a week ago with the chemical method of Huber & Wilson with the landing of a string of 12½-inch Etna casing, was bored out after the sixth day and found to be absolutely dry. The Federal Drilling Company has taken a contract to now land the casing in this well and is going ahead with the work. The 12½-inch was landed at 2806 feet.

The C. C. M. O. company is preparing to cement off top water in the Nos. 27 and 33 wells on section 8, 32-23 near Fellows. The chemical method of cementing will be used.

No. 2 well of the Kern Trading and Oil company, on section 15, 32-24, has been completed at a depth of 2869 feet and is now in with a flow of 200 barrels daily.

The Virginia Pipe Line Contract Company has been awarded the contract for the pipe line to be built by the General Petroleum company to connect its wells in the Lost Hills field with its Bear Creek camp in the Midway. The line is to be 20 miles in length and the contract calls for it to be laid in that number of days. This will necessitate the ditching, laying and covering of a mile of pipe daily.

TO DEEPEN WELL OF MAINE STATE

Coalinga Company to Carry Hole to 1900 Feet Into Better Sand; Brief Field Activities

COALINGA, Oct. 18.—The Maine State Oil company, on section 31, 19-15, is drilling well No. 8, located in the south half of the lease. The well was drilled to about 1,700 feet by the California Monarch, under a lease from the Maine state, and finished during 1914. Supt. Mitchell will carry the hole to about 1,900 feet to a lower sand, estimated to be a final gravity oil sand. The tools are now a little over 1,805 feet, in 6 5-8 inch casing, and will soon be to the bottom of the old hole. The well has been irregular in its production for some time past. There is an understand that is productive through sections 6 and 7, 20-15. This said the company will drill for, in hopes of an increased production.

The smaller leases along the outer edge of the west side field are reported to be arranging for an early resumption of production. An inquiry directed to six companies is reported to have brought responses from two to the effect that the management would soon clean up the property and put the wells on the beam. Three companies were not anxious to sell or sub-lease their holdings, but might do so if terms were inviting. One company's manager, as usual, failed to answer. All of the small companies express a hopeful outlook for the near future.

The California Coalinga Oil company, on section 7, 20-15, is cleaning out its wells. The condition of each well is being looked over, with a view of putting the property on a production basis. The wells have been shut down for some time, as the situation did not warrant the company to operate. The condition today is considered very much improved and the management is preparing the property for a resumption of production in the near future.

The Circle Oil company, on section 35, 20-14, has been leased to Smith & Peevey on a production basis. The company has one producing well. The same people have secured a production lease upon the Coalinga Crude Oil company, one well. Also, the Netherlands Oil company's two wells, on section 26, 20-14.

The Dutch Shell company, on section 2, 19-15, (W. K.) had its rotary well 2,560 feet deep on Sunday morning. The red rock formation was entered at about 2,200 feet, since then the formation has been hard, considerable pyrites of iron runs through the formation making the digging slow.

The Nevada Petroleum company, on section 20, 20-15, has about completed cleaning out its well that was interrupted by the burning of the derrick a little over one month ago, the well will be on the beam in a day or two.

The Shannon oil company, formerly the Caledonian has been leased to Chas. R. Butts, on a production basis, two producing wells. The lease had been cleaned up and the wells put in condition.

The Kern Trading & Oil company, on section 1, 20-15, had its rotary hole 2,900 feet deep on Sunday morning. The drilling so far has been good, averaging 200 feet per day.

BRIEF OIL NOTES FROM M'KITTRICK

McKITTRICK, Oct. 18.—Officials of the Producers' Transportation company this week visited the Middle-Water station of the company, where the explosion of one of a battery of four boilers a few days ago resulted in Clyde Worden, Brenan, being severely scalded and burned by steam and hot from the boilers, and property in and around the station damaged. Following an examination of the station it was decided to install water-tube boilers to replace two marine boilers, the one which burst and another. These are to be of 150 horse-power, and will be installed within a short time. Repairs are being made on the station, tool house and pump house, damaged by the exploding boiler striking these buildings in its flight. Worden, who was taken to a hospital in Bakersfield for treatment, is reported to be doing well.

Frederick W. Kimble, a well known oil man, now a resident of Fresno but several years ago connected with petroleum enterprises in the North McKittrick Front, was in the city this week on a business trip.

Clarence Wilson, of Bakersfield, who was one of the pioneers of McKittrick and at one time local manager of the National Supply Company, was a guest of friends here during the week. Mr. Wilson is now with the Overland Auto company.

W. F. Clark, of Los Angeles, general manager of the Producers' Transportation Company, was in the city this week on a business trip.

E. A. Bromfield, who resides in Los Angeles and is the California representative of T. N. Barnsdall, of Pennsylvania, interested in a number of large enterprises in the West Side oil fields and elsewhere, was among the visitors to McKittrick this week.

William Rae of the McEvoy Screen Pipe Company, was here this week in a tour of the oil districts.

M. H. Whittier, president and general manager of the Belridge Oil company, with headquarters in Los Angeles, was here the latter part of the week on a tour of the company's properties.

DAILY VISITORS TO VALLEY BOOTH AT EXPOSITION

Mr. F. Coughlin, Oakland; E. C. Belwood, South Richmond, Va.; W. E. Eskelson, Oleander; Herman F. Reich, Visalia; Mrs. A. Zana, Campo Seco; Mrs. J. E. Lang, Napa; Mrs. B. Rosenthal, San Jose; W. Addison, Alameda; Mrs. F. Husford, Alameda; Miss Lottie B. Ackers, Coalinga; Miss Irene Ackers, Coalinga; Mrs. Mary Clayton, Priest Valley; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dietz, San Andreas; Mark Paulson, Berkeley; Harry Raynor, Berkeley; Robert W. Harris, Fresno; H. N. Cutler, Fresno; Mrs. L. A. Wilson, Fresno; W. B. McKay, Hubbard, Ore.; Mrs. E. E. Sims, Fresno; Mrs. Sadie J. Stone, San Francisco; Margaret Stone, San Francisco; Mrs. S. O. Jopling, San Francisco; Mrs. R. I. Dowkes, San Diego; Miss Mabel Armstrong, Selma; Mrs Lee Howell, Selma; Miss Bertha Scroggins, Selma; Clara Swope, Santa Clara; Mrs. Emma Swope, Campbell; Mrs. S. E. Sutton, Fairfield, Iowa; Mrs. E. T. Normile, Denver, Colo.; Miss Jean Lesseman, San Francisco; Miss N. Lesseman, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Weldo S. Yager, Stanislaus; Miss Adelma Yager, Stanislaus; C. F. Wuestley and wife, Merced; W. W. Cowell and wife, Manteca; Miss A. Stephens, Fresno; Mrs. H. E. Brockway, Vallecito; Miss Mary Duffy, Camanche; Charles L. Farnam, Fresno; Bess Luckhart, Marshall, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kendall, Lemoore; Mrs. E. M. James, Taft; R. G. Comfort and wife, Hanford; A. P. Howe and wife, Guernsey; Beulah Kauffman, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Clara Park, Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, Hanford.

Frieda Kegel, Madera; Mathew Conley, Madera; Waldo Woodard, Madera; Chas. H. S. Poole, Los Angeles; Mrs. E. A. Holbrook, Waterbury, Conn.; Mrs. J. T. Reed, New York, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McPeek, Stockton; Mrs. E. C. Teldn, Stockton; George B. Washburn, San Andreas; Mrs. L. W. Adams; Fresno; Miss Gladys Myers, Fresno; A. W. Chapman, Berkeley; Mrs. G. E. Burwell, Fresno; Miss Olive Cuthbert, Fresno; J. C. Cloyd, Fresno; Mrs. Mary Stone, Dos Palos; Miss Dora Stone, Dos Palos; Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, Fresno; Lydia Smith, Fresno; Chrystine Smith, Fresno; Marguerite Smith, Fresno; Ruby Osborn, San Francisco; Darryl D. Clifford, Angels Camp; Philip Meisinzahl, Fresno; Jos. P. Fritts, Hughson; Mrs. A. C. Lund, Stockton; Jas. Coffman and family, Modesto; Wm. Manson, Fresno; Robert E. Renshaw and family, Modesto; Ira L. Vance, Los Angeles; C. W. Brown, Asheville, N. C.; Miss Edith Kilboe, Murphys; Miss Covina Tobacco, San Jose; Miss Erminia Tobacco, San Jose; N. L. Reid, Towanda, Kas.; Foster Reid, Towanda, Kas.; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Yenne, Madera; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Yenne, Richmond; T. L. Kimes, Coalinga; Mrs. Anna Swan, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. L. Locke, Raymond; I. N. Stephenson, Pasadena; Edwin M. Hinchey, Westfield, Mass.; Mrs. A. J. Sullivan, Oakland; G. E. Decker, Bay Point; Miss Rose S. Wesson, San Francisco; Mathew Conley, Madera; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark, Angels Camp; Mrs. W. Tremuth, Irvington; Mrs. H. E. Rowell, Oakland; G. T. Mason, Rochester, N. Y.; R. F. Tisdale, San Francisco; Mrs. H. J. Pedlar, Alameda; C. C. Pedlar, Fresno; George A. McCalry, Oakland; I. S. VanVorkstund, Hansen, Kas.; C. N. Williams, Fresno; Mrs. Emil Barnhart, Oakland; Miss Ruth Barnhart, Oakland; Mrs. J. B. Church, Orland; Mrs. J. P. McElligott, Mariposa; Mrs. E. A. Rigeway; San Rafael; Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, Roswell, N. M.; Mrs. J. D. Mishler, Selma; A. Northrop and wife, Selma; Pauline Strohl, Madera; Leon Read, Fulton, N. Y.; Mrs. Frederick Patton, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. A. J. Glanelli, Murphys; Mrs. Bessie C. Hughes, Mariposa; George C. Larigen, Fresno; Mrs. W. B. Ingram, Fresno; Mrs. W. H. Clary, Sheep Ranch; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gray, Wankena; I. C. Patterson, Fresno; Mrs. J. M. Thornton, Escalon; Lillian Johnson, Reedley; Jone Grindell, Rocklin; Anita Grindell, Rocklin; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Penerill, Kerman; Grace Smerdferger, Glendora.

NOTICE

All bills against the Eagle Chop House to be presented in the next three days at 1029 F Street.

—Advertisement.

Every married man and woman should see "The Spendthrift," at Fresno Theatre.

—Advertisement.

GAME CONSERVATION A MOUNTAIN SUBJECT

School Pupils Will Learn of Wild Life in Own Districts

Pupils in the public schools throughout the foothill and mountain districts of Fresno county are going to be taught facts about the efforts being made by the California Fish and Game Commission to conserve the wild life of the country in which they live. A small pamphlet, illustrating this subject, is being mailed to the teachers of the schools by Andy Ferguson, state fish and game commissioner.

The teachers in these districts have expressed a deep interest in the subject and a desire to teach their pupils facts about game conservation. The pamphlet describes the wild game and the fish that have been greatly reduced in numbers through the abuse of hunting and fishing privileges and of the efforts put forth to curb the violations of fish and game laws.

Conservation Through Education, is the title of the publication that will be studied by the mountain children. Commissioner Ferguson has discovered that these children take a great interest in the subject and believes their understanding of the subject should result in much good.

INCORRIGIBLE GIRLS ARE AGAIN IN HOME

Three Who Escaped Sunday Evening From Detention Home Found

The three girls, Alice Carson, and Beatrice and Ruby Holman, who escaped from the detention home Sunday night, were found yesterday and returned to the home. The Carson girl and Ruby Holman were found in Fowler and the older Holman girl, Beatrice, was found in Fresno.

The three girls after their escape, were taken in an automobile by two boys and after a short ride the Carson girl and Ruby Holman were left on the highway, when they walked to Fowler, where they were found yesterday. Beatrice continued the ride and was returned to Fresno.

DEER MEAT TREAT AT ORPHANAGE

Tender deer meat, prepared from a fat buck donated by the California Fish and Game Commission, was the treat accorded the children of the Fresno County Orphanage for their Sunday dinner. The deer was unlawfully killed by a hunter near the Big Meadows last week.

A number of ducks, confiscated from a hunter who exceeded the shooting limit also are on cold storage and will be enjoyed by the youngsters next Sunday. Confiscated game, as provided by state law, must be turned over to a charitable or public institution.

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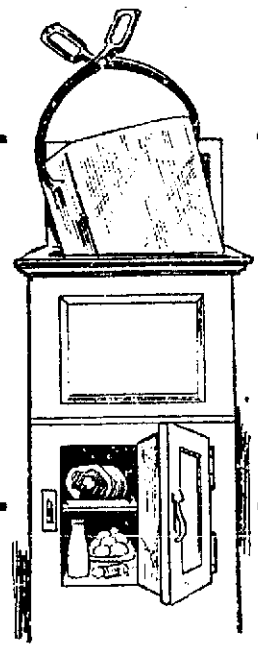

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Farmers Should Be Heard at Rural Credits Session

Editor Republican: The writer was at Los Angeles this last week when the hearings of the rural credits commission were being held, and while many important facts were brought out, he was disappointed to note that while bankers, financiers, captains of industry and successful men in finance and commerce were given hearings before the commission, apparently no representatives of those most closely affected—the small, struggling, actual farmer—were on hand, or if they were, they were not heard from at the meetings, at least so far as the public press there reported their proceedings.

Should these hearings be held to receive evidence alone from successful men? It is true their statements are most valuable, but are they all that is needed to get at the basic principles of the rural credits, colonization and producer-to-consumer problems?

How about the millions of unsuccessful or not very successful men, for which it seems to me this commission was especially formed to solve their problems of a "place in the sun," not alone to favor such, but to give them an equal show in the great struggle for existence? should not the representatives of such be on hand in greater numbers than any other element, in order that the man directly in touch with the earth itself may tell from actual experience of the unequal long he is compelled to bear in the social and industrial order?

It is true that at Los Angeles and other nearby places large agricultural captains of industry were given hearings, but is it for that class that the proposed legislation is to be framed, or is it the small, single-handed, struggling farmer, proprietor and renter. Then if for them, why not let the class sought to be assisted be very carefully consulted and heard from in this inquisition?

The men who compose that commission are surely most fit for its work, men altruistic, and deeply interested in the great issues involved, but is a single member, nevertheless, an actual farmer, making his entire living from the land itself? I would not have a single man on that commission off it, but surely there should be additional members upon it of the soil itself. Only such can know the actual bitter facts themselves, the awful struggle, year after year, to pay bigger interest than any one else, to pay bigger taxes because his property is in stock and lands which can most easily be reached by the assessor.

Has it ever occurred to any of us that life itself is absolutely dependent upon this great army of small farmers who exist by the million, but who does not but never has had an equal chance "for his white alley?"

We can do without the stocks and bonds and the evidences of indebtedness; we can dispense with factories and stores and all the other complex things of civilization; but let the farmer stop but one year raising grain and stock and wool and cotton and vegetables and fruits and we who live on their backs will speedily starve and cease to be, my lady in her boudoir and the banker and financier in his counting house. Thus, the under man, the farmer, has within the very hollow of his hand our very lives. How much, then, should those who ride upon his back see that he is most carefully groomed and nurtured in order that he may better bear the mighty burden of life and civilization which he alone carries. Therefore, by all means let the "man with the hoe and wielder of the plow" be very much in evidence at these hearings. There cannot be too many of him, but equally there should not be any less of the banker, financier, successful man of affairs at them, too.

But let us bear this always in mind: that always the man who has succeeded is a conservative, wanting to let the established order remain as it is, opposed to any radical change or any change at all in the social order. It must be the man "that's under," the man who is struggling, that brings about changes for the betterment of the race. Of course, the banker will not be friendly to any lowering of the interest rate (as per evidence at Los Angeles). He will rather say that what is needed is better efficiency in distribution from the producer to the consumer, whereas both are sorely needed. The captain of commerce will say that the real need is lower interest and not better distribution, but the farmer himself if he has a chance to be heard will say that he needs both and that sorely, and he will be right. And let me say just this: Low interest and long time to the farmer, increased simplicity in distributing from the producer to the consumer, will boom the banking and all other lines of business that primarily live from what the farmer creates, in such a way as has never been dreamed of. Make the farmer prosperous, the man who is the basis of all value; make him a free-buyer, and see what an abounding, encompassing prosperity will come to him and all others in every other line of human endeavor.

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H. E. Wright and wife to C. W. Haskins, west one acre of south two acres, west half lot 28, section 33, town 17 south, range 20 east, Fresno county.

The 76 Land and Water Company to J. A. Graham, lot 98, resubdivision Columbia colony, Fresno county.

George L. Johnson to D. C. Bennett, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 24, the south 11 feet of lot 1, block 24, all in town of Covell.

Walter W. Wise and wife to Frank Bissell, southeast quarter of southeast, section 27, town 15 south, range 20 east, Fresno county.

Pacific Improvement Company to F. B. Billings, lot 5, block 18, Alta Vista tract, Fresno county.

Charle O. Love and wife to Charles R. Love and Ira E. Love, commencing at a point 1,747 feet east of the northwest corner of the south half section 18, township 15 south, range 23 east, containing 20 acres, Fresno county.

Lazzaro Olmuzzi to Jack D. Puccini, lots 17, 18, 19, block 46, town of Fowler.

Alice E. Farnsworth to Margaret L. Simpson, lot 8 Elmhurst, Fresno county.

A. Clunz to Andrew Jovanovich, lots 75, 77, 79 and 81, A Clunz tract, Fresno county.

H. O. Marshall et al. to Harold W. Shipp, right of way and easement over strip of land four feet wide, commencing southeast, corner lot 16 Eppinger tract, thence east 230 feet along east side lot 16 to Wishtoke.

H. O. Marshall et al. to Georgini Shipp, lot 34 and west half lot 35 Eppinger tract, Fresno county.

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TO THE CREDITORS AND PATRONS

Of the People's Ice Company of Fresno

An article (advertisement) signed by the Board of Directors of the People's Ice Company of Fresno, having recently appeared in the columns of your paper, I feel it incumbent upon me to reply to the misrepresentations and insinuations contained therein.

The People's Ice Company of Fresno was incorporated for $100,000 on October 28th, 1914. Approximately 80,000 shares of stock were sold and the first unit of the plant was constructed and the manufacture of ice and deliveries commenced a few days prior to May 1st, the date of delivery called for in the contracts.

Prior to this time a contract was entered into with the Arctic Ice Machine Company for the installation of certain machinery. Considerable delay was caused by John N. Gruhl representing that he had authority to make and ratify contracts for the Arctic Ice Machine Company on the Pacific Coast. It was only after two such contracts were refused by the company that H. D. Pownall, President and General Manager of the Arctic Ice Machine Company, came to Fresno and after acquainting himself with the ice situation and with the affairs of the People's Ice Company of Fresno, and a contract was entered into for the erection of a one-hundred-ton ice plant. On account of the delay caused by the above negotiations, it was necessary to change the plans and erect a sixty-ton plant immediately and complete the other forty-ton unit as soon as possible.

Under the terms of the contract above referred to, if a default was made in the payment of any installment due under the contract, the Arctic Ice Machine Company had the privilege of putting in their own manager until the trouble had been rectified. Default was made in the payment and John N. Gruhl installed himself as manager, acting for the Arctic Company under this agreement. Mr. Pownall made a second trip to Fresno and agreed to extend the time of payment of the claim of the Arctic Ice Machine Company if the complete management of the plant was turned over to them, including a board of directors of their choice. He stated as a reason that the new board of directors would be able to complete the financing of the company. They failed in this and the Arctic Ice Machine Company advanced $10,000.00 and took a first mortgage on the lots and building of the Ice Company as security.

At the time of the organization of the People's Ice Company of Fresno, the State Commissioner of Corporations allowed to the incorporators 30,000 shares for ice contracts secured and a twenty per cent. commission for the sale of stock. At the time of resignation of the board, the promotion stock was reduced to 15,000 shares and the incorporators surrendered their claim to commissions for stock sales. This was voluntarily done for the benefit of the stockholder and all parties interested, to assure the operation of the plant and avoid any further trouble with the Arctic Ice Machine Company under the terms of their contract.

It was understood that I was to remain in the employ of the Ice Company, but after four weeks I was summarily discharged. The money I received for this four weeks employment is all the compensation, other than the 7,500 shares of stock, that I have ever received. In addition, I furnished $1,145.00 worth of fixtures, which was taken in stock, and advanced cash in approximately $700.00, on which there is a balance due and unpaid of $892.00. After waiting six weeks to see how my interests were being cared for in the People's Ice Company, and having seen the company involved in seemingly needless difficulties and disputes with patrons and employees, and having seen the business that we had developed and contracted for being dissipated and lost, I abandoned any hope of ever realizing anything from my interest in the People's Ice Company and sought employment elsewhere.

I was employed by the Valley Ice Company as their outside man, and have been so employed ever since. I have attempted some arrangements for an independent ice delivery next spring, but have never aspired to any position with the Valley Ice Company other than I now hold.

Since I have been disassociated from the People's Ice Company, I have been assisting in every way possible those creditors, whom I had been partly responsible for, to obtain their money. I have done this because the affairs of the corporation were in the hands of people in whom I had no confidence and because I felt partly responsible for the condition in which the creditors of the corporation found themselves.

Immediately that I learned that a petition in involuntary bankruptcy had been filed, I prepared a blank power of attorney, in favor of Ray W. Hays, the attorney who filed the petition in behalf of the petitioning creditors, which, together with an explanatory letter, I mailed to all whom I knew to be unsecured creditors of the People's Ice Company. In this letter I explained that: "as I am partially responsible for the creation of the corporation and am personally liable on its notes for approximately $80,000.00, it is my desire to assist the creditors in every way and at the same time protect myself."

That is still my position and it is for the creditors to say whether or not they wish to elect me trustee, in the event that the corporation is adjudicated a bankrupt, and judging from the activity of the present board of directors in attempting to secure powers of attorney to be controlled by themselves, there is apparently no question in their minds as to the insolvency of the corporation; or whether they shall place their claims in the hands of some one selected by the present board of directors, or their attorneys, who not only have attempted to create for themselves a preference, but have also attempted to create a preference for some thirteen other favored creditors. I have no desire to deal in personalities, and am sure that the petitioning creditors feel the same way. The filing of the involuntary petition was the only means whereby the unsecured creditors could hope to ever secure the payment of their claims and have anything left for the stockholders. A short delay would have created a preference of $20,000 approximately.

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THE WEATHER

FRESNO, Oct. 18.—Local forecast: Generally fair weather Tuesday and probably Wednesday, light variable winds, mostly northwest.

Local data:	5 a. m.	5 p. m.
Barometer	30.02	29.92
Temperature	57	82
Wind direction	E.	W.
Wind velocity	2	4
Humidity, per cent	46	16

Average daily high temp. for October....78
Average daily low temp. for October....51
Highest and lowest Monday....89 and 55
High and low this date last year....70 and 51
Seasonal rainfall to date....None
Last year's rainfall to this date....0.28 inches
Normal rainfall to date....0.64 inches
Time of sunrise October 18, 6:11; of sunset, 5:18.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Forecast: San Joaquin Valley: Fair Tuesday; light northwest wind.

Temperature.

STATIONS.	Highest today.	Lowest last night.	State of weather.	Direction.	Precipitation in last 24 hours (in inches)
Abilene	76	60	Clear	N	.01
Boise	74	42	Cloudy	NW	0
Boston	62	52	Clear	S	0
Buffalo	68	56	Raining	SW	.02
Chicago	68	66	Cloudy	W	.04
Denver	70	40	Clear	SE	0
Dodge City	74	44	Clear	NW	0
Eureka	62	50	Pt Cldy	W	0
Flagstaff	64	24	Clear	E	0
FRESNO	80	55	Clear	W	0
Galveston	80	74	Pt Cldy	NW	0
Helena	72	44	Cloudy	SW	0
Huron	70	52	Clear	S	0
Jacksonville	80	70	Cloudy	NE	0
Kansas City	74	56	Clear	N	0
Los Angeles	86	60	Clear	SW	0
Memphis	72	68	Raining	SW	1.72
Minneapolis	68	50	Cloudy	W	0
New Orleans	86	72	Pt Cldy	SE	0
New York	70	56	Pt Cldy	S	0
Oklahoma	78	58	Clear	NW	0
Phoenix	90	56	Clear	W	0
Pittsburg	78	58	Cloudy	SW	.01
Portland	68	50	Raining	SW	.20
Red Bluff	80	52	Pt Cldy	SE	0
Roseburg	62	42	Pt Cldy	W	0
Sacramento	82	50	Clear	S	0
St. Louis	72	69	Pt Cldy	SW	0
Salt Lake City	72	44	Clear	NW	0
San Diego	74	66	Clear	NW	0
San Francisco	63	50	Clear	W	0
San Luis Obispo	70	48	Clear	NW	0
Seattle	64	52	Raining	E.	.74
Tampa	86	74	Clear	NE	0
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Williston	74	38	Pt Cldy	SW	0

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Lima beans—10c lb.
Potatoes—$1.90, $1.20 cwt.
Cauliflower—15c head.
Beets—5c bunch.
Cabbage—2c lb.
Carrots—5c bunch.
Cucumbers—4 for 5c.
Celery—10c bunch.
Egg plant—5c pound.
New garlic—20c lb.
Lettuce—Coast, 5c.
Onions 2c lb.
Okra—10c lb.
Potatoes—18 lbs. for 25c; $1.20 to $1.80 cwt.
Sweet potatoes—4 lbs., 15c.
Bell peppers—4c lb.
Parsley—5c bunch.
Peas—2 lbs. for 25c.
Squashes—2 summer, 5c.
Summer squash—3 lbs., 10c.
Cream squash—5c.; 3 lbs., 10c.
String beans—2 lbs. for 15c.
Tomatoes—20c.
Turnips—5c bunch.
Milkstuffs—
Egyptian corn—$1.70.
Flour—$1.75 sack.
Whole barley—$1.45 cwt.; $28 ton.
Rolled barley—$1.10 sack; $28 ton.
Bran—$1.15 sack; $34 ton.
Indian corn—$2.10 cwt., $50 ton.
Seed rye—$2.40 cwt.; $48 ton.
Cracked corn—$2.90 cwt.; $56 ton.
Alfalfa meal—$1.10 sack; $20 ton.
Middlings—$1.20 sack; $38 ton.
Oats—$2.50 cwt.; $46 ton.
Wheat—$1.90 to $2.00 cwt; $38 to 40 ton.
Cracked wheat—$2.25 cwt.; $42 ton.
10 lbs. corn meal, 35c.
10 lbs. graham flour, 40c.
10 lbs. rye flour, 40c.
10 lbs entire wheat flour, 55c.
10 lbs. buckwheat flour, 55c.
Sugar—$5.75 cwt.

Butter, Eggs and Honey—
Creamery butter—35c; two lbs. for 70c.
Colony butter—Pound, 25c.
Eggs—45c dozen.
Honey—15c comb.
Strained honey—40c qt.
Fresh Meats—
Roast—15c to 35c lb.
Mutton—12½c to 25c lb.
Lamb—12½c to 20c lb.
Veal—15c to 20c lb.
Pork—18c to 25c lb.
Round steak—22c lb.
Chuck steak—15c lb.
Sirloin steak—24c lb.
Porterhouse steak—23c.
Lard in bulk—17c to 18c lb.
Lard in quantity—15c lb.
Dressed Stock—
Steers—12c lb.
Cows—10c to 11c lb.
Hogs—Live, 6½ to 7c lb.; dressed, 10c to 11c lb.
Sheep—
Ewes—13c.
Hogs—9 to 10c.
Wethers—12 to 12½c.
Lambs—14c.
Calves—10 to 12c.
Poultry—
Fryers—28c to 30c lb.
Broilers—28c to 35c lb.
Hens—20c lb.
Geese—20c lb.
Ducks—25 to 35c lb.
Turkeys—18c lb.

GREEN FRUIT

SACRAMENTO—Fresh fruit shipments from California October 17 and 18 are:

Pears, 4 cars; grapes, 20[illegible] cars; miscellaneous, 7[illegible] cars. Total, 213 cars.

Same dates last year, 231 cars.

Total shipments to date this year, 13,662[illegible] cars.

Same date last year, 14,05[illegible] cars.

NEW YORK—Florn Tokays, $1.20; other Tokays, $1.00; Malagas, $1.10; Cornichons, $1.05; Seedless, $2.00; Muscats, $1.30; Levi Clings, 70c; Quinces, $1.20.

CHICAGO—Lodi Tokays, $1.45; Mayhews, $1.15; Florn Tokays, $1.10; Woodbridge Tokays, 85c; Malagas, 90c; Cornichons, $1.00.

PHILADELPHIA—Lodi Tokays, $1.20; Florin Tokays, $1.25.

BOSTON—Mills Tokays, $1.25; Mayhews Tokays, $1.20; Florin Tokays, $1.15; Lodi Tokays, $1.05; Malagas, 90c; Muscats, $1.10.

SAN FRANCISCO—Figs (per box)—Black, 90c@$1; extra fancy river stock, $1.25; do, white, 50@75c.

Cranberries—Eastern, $5.50@9.50 per bbl.; Oregon, $2.75@3 per bushel box.

Quinces—[illegible]c per box.

Grapes (per lug box)—Muscats, 60@65c; do, Tokay, 60@65c; black, 50@60c; Malagas, 65@85c; Cornichon, 90c@$1; Verdel, 65@85c. Grapes (per crate)—Tokay, 4[illegible]50; Muscat, 50@60c; Malagas, 40@50c; Cornichon, 75@85c per crate. Wine grapes, $14@15 per ton.

Pomegranates—$1@1.50 per half orange box.

Huckleberries—Per lb, 4@7c.

Watermelons—75c@$2 per dozen.

Blackberries—$4@5 per chest.

Persimmons—Newcastle, 80@$1 per flat, with fancy at $1.15@1.50.

Peaches—California stock, 50@60c per small box; Oregon peaches, 40@65c per 20-lb. box. Washington peaches, 40@65c per small box.

Cantaloupes—Turlock, $1 per crate; River stock, 90c@$1 per box for fancy and 50@75c for off grade. Casabas, 50@75c per crate.

Pears (per box)—Lake county Bartletts, from the icehouse, $2.50 flat; Bartletts from other sections, $1@1.50 per box; winter pears, 75c@$1 per box.

Strawberries—$4@6.50 per chest.

Raspberries—$5@7 per chest.

Citrus fruits (per box)—Lemons, $3@3.25 for fancy; choice, $2.25; off grades, $1.50; Lemonettes, $1.25@1.75.

Grape Fruit—Seedless, $6 per box for fancy and $4.50@5 for choice; Seedlings, $2.50@3.50.

Oranges—New-crop Valencias, standard, $2.50@3; choice, $1@4.25; fancy $4.50@4.75.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, Hawaiian, 75c@$1.50 per bunch; do, Central American, 3½@3½c per lb. Pineapples—Hawaiian, $1@2 per dozen.

Apples (per box)—Bellefleurs, $0@90c for 4-tier and 65@75c for 4½-tier; Newtown Pippins, 80c@$1 per 4-tier and 65@75c per 4½-tier; Jonathan, 75c@$1 for 4-tier and 60@75c for 4½-tier; do, Washington, $1.60@1.75 per box; Baldwin, 75c@$1 for 4-tier and 50@75c for 4½-tier; Rhode Island Greenins, 50@75c for 4-tier and 50@60c for 4½-tier; Hood River Spitzenbergs, $1.50@1.75 for choice and $2@2.50 for fancy.

DRIED FRUIT

SAN FRANCISCO.—Prunes: Local selling prices, bulk basis, in carload lots: 1915 crop—Santa Clara, 4c. All outside growths, 1c less.

Other Fruits, Stand-		Extra		
50-lb. boxes—	and Choice.	Choice.	Fancy.
Apricots	8½c	7½c	9½c	9c
Peaches	3½c	3½c	5½c	4½c
Pears	6c	7c	8c	9½c

SAN FRANCISCO.—Raisins—California Associated Raisin company's f. o. b. prices for 1915 crop, guarantee against decline to December 31. London layers, 2-crown, 20 lb. boxes, $1.15; London layers, 3-crown, 20 lb. boxes, $1.50; London layers, 4-crown, 20 lb. boxes, $2.00. Fivecrown boxes, 50 cents additional. 10 pound boxes, 25 cents additional. Fancy clusters, 1 lb. cartons, 20 to case, per case, $1.60; fancy clusters, 2 lb. cartons, 12 to case, $2 per case; fancy clusters, 5 lb. cardboard cartons, 4 to case $2.25. Bulk layers, 50 lb. boxes, $2.50.

1914 crop, same guarantees. Seeded: Fancy, 16 oz., 8½c; fancy, 12 oz., 7½c; fancy, bulk, 6c. Choice, 16 oz., 6½c; choice, 12 oz., 5c; choice, bulk, 4½c. Sun-Maid Quality, 36 to case, $2.50 per case. Sun-Maid Quality, 48 to case, $3 per case. Loose: 1-crown Muscatels, floated, 50 lb. cases, 5c; 2-crown, 5½c; 3 crown, 6½c; 4-crown, 8½c.

Above prices for shipment between August 1 and September 20.

NEW YORK.—Evaporated apples, easy. Prunes more active. Apricots and peaches steady. Raisins, firm.

NEW YORK—Evaporated apples steady; fancy, 8½@9c; choice, 7½c; prime, 6¾@7.

Prunes, firm; California, 3½@10½c; Oregons, 7½@10c.

Apricots, strong; choice, 4¾c; extra choice, 10c; fancy, 10¾c.

Peaches, steady; choice, 4½@5c; extra choice, 5@5½c; fancy, 5½@6c.

Raisins, firm; loose Muscatels, 6½@7½c; choice to fancy seeded, 7¾@8½c; seedless, 9@11c; London layers, $1.20@1.40.

COAST PRODUCE

SAN FRANCISCO—Butter: Fresh extras, 32c; prime firsts, 25c; fresh firsts, 24c.

Eggs: Fresh extras, 49c; pullets, 39c.

Cheese: New, 15@17c; California cheddars, 16½c; young Americas, 18c.

Flour, $6.20@6.80.

Wheat, California club, spot, $1.57½@1.65.

Barley, feed, $1.22½@1.32½; shipping and brewing, $1.27½@1.32½.

Oats, red, $1.22½@1.32½; white, $1.32½@1.35.

Hay—Wheat, $17.00@18.00; wheat and oat, $12.00@15.00; tame oat, $14.00@15.00; other tame oat, $10.00@13.50; hay, $6.00@8.00; wild oat, $5.00@10.50; barley, nominal; straw, 20@40c; alfalfa, $10.00@12.00.

Receipts—Flour, 30,328* qrs; barley, 171,197 centals; potatoes, 3,465 sacks; beans, 6,022 sacks; hay, 750 tons; hides, 150; wine, 44,300 gals.

Beans, large white, small white, $5.50@5.50; limas, $4.60@4.80; pink, $3.75@3.85; California bayos, $4.50@4.70.

Potatoes, delta, 65@90c; do, Salinas, $1.30@1.40; sweets on the street, $1.40@1.50.

Onions, California, 65@75c.

Vegetables—Summer squash, 40@65c; string beans, 1½@2½c; wax beans, 1½@2c; limas, 2@2½c; green corn, 50c@$1.00; egg plant, 40@60c; tomatoes, 15@35c; bell peppers, 40@50c; cucumbers, 40@60c; cream squash, 50@65c.

Poultry—Hens, 15@17c; young roosters, 15@20c; old, 6@10c; fryers, 18@20c; broilers, 23@25c; squabs, $2.50@3.50; pigeons, $1.00@1.75; ducks, 11@13c.

Fruit—Lemons, $3.00@3.25; oranges, $4.00@4.75; grapefruit, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $1.00@2.00; bananas, Hawaiian, 75c@$1.50; apples, Bellefleurs, $0@90c; deciduous fruit—Grapes, tokay, 55@75c; pears, $1.00@1.50; peaches, 40@30c.

LOS ANGELES.—Receipts at Produce Exchange:

Eggs, 130 cases; butter, 28,820 lbs.; cheese, none.

Butter—Prices to trade, 4c higher. California creamery extras, 26c; creamery firsts, 23c.

Eggs—Prices to trade, 4c higher. Local ranch, candled, dozen, 44c; selected, 46c; case count and northern, 42c.

Cheese—Eastern cheddars, 21c; Eastern twins, 17½c; Eastern longhorns, 19@19½c; Eastern daisies, 18c; Oregon triplets, 16@16½c; roquefort, 40c; cream brick, 19c; limburger, 19@21c; California fresh, 18c.

LIVE STOCK

SAN FRANCISCO—Cattle, on foot, gross weight, No. 1 steers weighing 900 to 1200 pounds, 06½@06¾c; seconds, 05½@06c; thin and undesirable, 04@06c.

Cows and heifers, No. 1, 05½@05¾c; seconds, 05½@05¾c; common, thin, 03@04c.

Bulls and stags, good, 04@05c; fair, 03@04c; thin, 02½@03c.

Calves, light weight, 07½@08c; medium, 07@07½c; heavy, 06@06½c.

Sheep, gross weights, desirable weathers, 06@06½c; ewes, 05@05½c; suckling lambs, 07@07½c.

Hogs, hard grain fed, 100 to 200 pounds, 06½c; 200 to 300 pounds, 06c.

PORTLAND, Ore.—Cattle steady; receipts, 1,629. Steers, choice, $6.50@7.00; good, $6.00@6.25; medium, $5.25@5.75. Cows, choice, $5.00@5.25; good, $4.50@5.00; medium, $3.75@4.25. Heifers, choice, $5.50@6.00; good, $4.75@5.00. Bulls, choice, $3.50@4.00. Stags, choice, $4.75@5.25.

Hogs fifty cents higher. Receipts, 1,332. Prime, lights, $7.00@7.10; choice, medium, $6.50@7.00; pigs, $6.25@6.50; rough, $5.75@6.10.

Sheep steady. Receipts 1,015. Choice spring lambs, $6.75@7.15; common spring lambs, $5.50@6.25; choice yearlings, $5.00@6.25; good yearlings, $5.50@6.00; old wethers, $5.25@5.50; choice light ewes, $4.50@5.00; good ewes, $4.25@4.50; common heavy ewes, $3.00@3.75.

KANSAS CITY.—Hogs, receipts, 9,000; higher. Bulk, $8.15@8.60; heavy, $8.00@8.30; packers and butchers, $8.25@8.65; light, $8.20@8.60; pigs, $6.50@7.75.

Cattle, receipts, 31,000; steady. Prime fed steers, $9.50@10.10; dressed beef steers, $8.00@9.40; western steers, $6.50@8.75; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.00; bulls, $5.25@6.50; calves, $6.00@10.25.

Sheep, receipts, 15,000; steady. Lambs, $8.25@8.65; yearlings, $6.80@7.25; wethers, $5.75@6.50; ewes, $5.50@6.10.

CHICAGO—Hogs: Receipts, 23,000; slow, early advance of 5c mostly lost. Bulk, $8.20@8.55; light, $8@8.90; mixed, $8.15@8.95; heavy, $8.05@8.55; rough, $8.05@8.20; pigs, $5.25@7.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 15,000; strong. Native beef steers, $6@10.50; western steers, $6.65@8.75; cows and heifers, $2.55@8.35; calves, $7.75@11.75.

Sheep: Receipts, 17,000; easy. Wethers, $6@7; lambs, $6.75@8.

GRAIN

SAN FRANCISCO—Wheat, firmer; no trading; California club, spot, $1.57½@1.65.

Barley, firmer; Dec., $1.05; May, $1.42½.

PORTLAND—Wheat, strong; no trading; spot bids, unsettled Bluestem, and fortyfold, 98c; club, 95¼c; red fife, 92½c; red Russian, 92½c.

CHICAGO—Huge receipts at Minneapolis, Duluth and Winnipeg, with a promise continued heavy movement in the northwest throughout the week, did a good deal today to depress the wheat market here. Prices closed unsettled 2¢@2¼c to 2¼@2¾c net lower, at $1.06½ @1.06¾ for December and $1.07¾@1.07½ for May. Other speculative articles, too, showed losses—corn ¾c to 1¼c, oats 1¼c to 1½@1½c and provisions 25c to 22½c.

Wheat prices headed down grade right at the start and failed to make a decided rally at any subsequent time.

What little reaction from the lowest level of the day took place in the wheat market appeared to be due to the smallness of gain in the United States visible supply. The seaboards sent word that 1,000,000 bushels had been purchased for export, but that almost the entire amount was from Manitoba.

Corn receded in value as a result of the break in wheat. Oats followed the bearish lead of other grain. Cash houses unloaded freely, commission houses went to the bear side of the provision market.

Close: Wheat: Dec., $1.06½; May, $1.07¾.
Corn: Dec., 59¾c; May, 60½c.
Oats: Dec., 39½c; May, 40¼c.
Pork: Dec., $15.10; Jan., $17.20.
Lard: Nov., $9.40; Jan., $9.37.
Ribs: Dec., $9.65; Jan., $9.45.

S. F. STOCKS AND BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds.		
5% Quarterly coupon	100¼	—
State Bonds.		
S. F. Harbor Imp. 4%	—	430
Municipal Bonds.		
S. F. Municipal 3½%	—	475
S. F. Municipal 4½%	—	440
S. F. Municipal 5%	475	—
Miscellaneous Bonds.		
Associated Oil Co., 5%	100	101
Bay Counties Power Co. 5%	101	—
Cal. Central Gas & Elec. 6%	100½	—
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Ser. A. 5%	—	92
Cal. Gas. & Elec. Gen. Unifying 5%	94¼	—
Cal. Telephone & Light Co. 6%	99¾	—
California Wine Association 5%	93¾	94½
Central Cal. Traction Co. 5%	97½	97¾
City Electric Co. 5%	98½	99
Coast Counties L. & P. 5%	98¼	98½
Edison Light & Power 5%	—	105¾
E. I. du Pont de Nem. Pdr. 4½%	102¾	—
First Federal Trust Co. 6%	109	—
Great Western Power Co. 5%	80¼	81¼
Hawaiian Com'l & S 5%	102¾	—
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co., 6%	104	—
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5%	—	99
Los Angeles Gas & El. Co. 5%	99	—
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Corp. 5%	92¼	—
Los Angeles Railway 5%	97	—
Los Angeles Ry. Corp. 5%	94½	—
Los Angeles Lighting Cd. 5%	99¾	—
L. A. Pac. R. R. 1st Con. Mtg. 5%	94	—
L. A. Pacific R. R. of Cal. 5%	—	93¾
Marin Water & Power Co. 5%	—	100
Market St. Ry. 1st Cons. Mtg. 5%		73
Northern Railway Co. (of Cal.) 5%	104¼	—
Northern Cal. Railway 5%	102¾	—
Northern Cal. Power Co. 5%	87	—
Northern Cal. Power Con. 5%	—	71½
Oakland Gas Light & H. 5%	100½	—
Oakland Transit Con. 6%	97	98
Oakland Transit 5%	86	93
Oakland Transit Con. 5%	—	90
Oakland Traction Con. 5%	35	45
Omnibus Cable Railway 6%	—	90
Ore Electric Corp. 6%	93	—
Pacific Gas Imp. 4%	88	—
Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. 5%	84½	85
Pacific Electric Ry. Co. 5%	94	95
Pacific Light & Power (Gtd) 5%	—	93
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 6%	97¾	97¾
Sac'to Elec. Gas & Ry. Co. 5%	104½	103
San Joaquin Light & Power 5%	96	96½
S. Joaquin L. & P. Cor. (Ser. A) 6%	99¾	—
S. P., Oak. & San Jose Ry. 5%	83	—
S. P., Oak. & S. J. Ry. 2d Mtg. 5%	59¾	70
S. F., Oak. & S. J. Con. Ry. 5%		41½
Sierra Railway of Cal. 6%	—	95½
S. F. R. R. of Cal. 1st & gtd 4-5%	104¾	—
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6%	118¾	—
S. F. R. R. Co. 1st Refunding 4%	86¾	86¾
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 6%	93	98½
United Gas & Elec. Co. 5%	100¾	—
United R. R. of S. F. 4%	—	46¾
Valley Counties Power Co. 5%	100¾	—
Cal. Gas & Elec. Gen. 5%	100¾	—
Water Stocks.		
Marin County	95	—
Spring Valley Water Co.	87	87½
Gas and Electric Stocks.		
N. Cal. Power Co., Com.	6	6¾
Ore Elec. Corp. (Com.)	1	—
Pacific Gas & Elec. (Com.)	53½	—
Pacific Gas & Elec. (Pfd.)	89	90½
Pacific Gas & Elec. 1st Pfd.)	87¾	—
Insurance Stocks.		
Firemen's Fund	240	250½
Bank Stocks.		
American National Bank	—	130
Anglo Cal. Trust Co.	105	—
Anglo & L. P. Nat. Bank	130	135
Bank of California, N. A.	182½	—
First National Bank of S. F.	213½	217½
Mercantile National Bank	—	328
Savings Union Bank & Tr. Co.	238	240
Savings Banks.		
German Savings & Loan	1150	—
Humboldt Savings Bank	—	130
Mutual Savings Bank	13¾	—
Security Savings Bank	330	—
Street Railroad Stocks.		
California	—	98
Powder Stocks.		
E. I. du Pont de Nem. Pdr. (Pfd.)	100	—
Sugar Stocks.		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar Co.	48	48¾
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	37¾	38¼
Honokaa Sugar Co.	5	6
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	21	—
Kilauea Sugar Plantation	19	—
Onomea Sugar Co.	26½	—
Paauhau S. P. Co.	22¾	—
Union Sugar Co.	21½	21¾
Oil Stocks.		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	65¾	—
Associated Oil Co.	47¾	47½
Pacific Crude Oil Co.	5	—
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	1	1¼
West Coast Oil Co. (Pfd.)	105	—
Miscellaneous Stocks.		
Alaska Packers' Association	91¾	—
Armour Co. of N. Y. (Pfd.)	—	94
Cal. Fruit Canners' Association	113½	—
California Wine Association (Pfd.)	58½	—
California Wine Association (Com.)	29	30
Hunt Bros. Co. (Pfd.)	—	89¾
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	4	5½
Pacific Tel. & Tel. (Pfd.)	84½	—
Pacific Tel. & Tel. (Com.)	43	—
Philippine Tel. & Tel. Corp.	17¾	18½
Reno T. & T. Spokane	77½	85

OIL

SAN FRANCISCO.—Oil stocks:

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	$67.00	—
Coalinga Central	.16	—
Coalinga Mohawk	.60	—
Globe	—	.63
Illinois Crude	.62	—
Jade	—	.64
Junction	—	.08
Kern River	.75	—
Maricopa	.36	.60
National Pacific	.01	—
New Pennsylvania Pet.	.10	—
Premier	.05	.20
Producers	58.00	—
Pyramid	—	.04
Sauer Dough	—	.72
Section 25	20.00	—
Union	58.00	—
United Oil	.17	—
United Pet.	50.00	—
West Coast Pfd.	107.00	—

LOS ANGELES.—Oil stock quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	54.50	56.50
Associated	47.12½	—
Central	.15	.50
Columbia	—	.85
Enos	.02½	—
Fullerton	1.50	—
Jade	.01¾	—
Maricopa Northern	6.00	—
Midway Northern	.11¾	—
National Pacific	.01¾	.01¾
Olinda	.27	—
Union Oil	59.25	61.00
Union Provident	54.62½	55.25
United Petroleum	87.50	88.00
United Oil	.16½	.18
West Coast, preferred	105.50	—
Western Union	97.50	—

N. Y. FINANCE

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Higher prices were registered by all of the better known stocks today with renewed activity in war specialties, but trading lacked much of its recent vigor, until the

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AUTOIST HELD OVER: REFUSES TO GIVE AID

Runs Down Little Baby and Would Not Take It to Hospital

For failing to give aid to a 3-year-old child he is alleged to have run over with an automobile, George Creon, a salesman, living at 1350 O street, was yesterday held to the Superior court for a high misdemeanor.

The alleged offense occurred a month ago. Chauncey Keosheyan, ther 3-year-old son of A. S. Keosheyan, was playing in the street when he was struck by the automobile. He was bleeding profusely from a lacerated face. Witnesses testified yesterday that they asked Creon to take the child to a hospital and that he replied, "I am not running an ambulance."

Creon furnished a $500 cash bond to insure his appearance in the higher court. The hearing was held before Judge Graham.

WOMAN DEMANDS SHARE OF PROFITS

Claiming $1,500 as 5 per cent of the profits of the Shepherd-Cochran real estate company, Miss Julia E. Fleming has brought suit to recover that amount. In her complaint she asserts that she was to have a share of the profits of the company as acting office manager, in addition to a salary of $100 per month.

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Notice to Tax Payers

The Tax Collector of Fresno County having published a statement to the effect that he will not accept checks or drafts on the banks of Fresno City, in payment of taxes, the Fresno banks desire to state emphatically that they have been at all times and now are ready to cash in full, without discount of any sort, all checks or drafts drawn upon them, for the payment of taxes, where the party drawing same has sufficient funds to his credit, and of this fact the Tax Collector has been at all times in the past thoroughly well advised.

The attitude of the Tax Collector is an arbitrary one, and is not caused by the refusal of the banks of Fresno City to cash any items drawn upon them.

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News From Central California

MODESTO DECIDES TO BUILD SINGLE SCHOOL

Central Grammar School to Be Erected Instead of Two Smaller Ones

MODESTO, Oct. 18. — In pursuance of the wishes of the patrons of the Modesto schools, living west of the Southern Pacific tracks, as registered at a straw election Saturday, when the majority stood 179 in favor of a single central grammar school to 76 for two smaller buildings located in the north and south sections of this part of the district, the school board is now preparing to consider offers of sites for the building. The voters before the election agreed with the board to leave the choice of sites to them in case they were permitted to decide the number of buildings to be constructed.

The movement has also been started for a new high school building for Modesto on account of the inadequacy of present buildings. The present high school was built twenty years ago to accommodate 135 students, while the enrollment this year is 300. It is probable that the present high school equipment will be used for an intermediate or junior high school to accommodate the seventh and eighth grades. A new site will be purchased for the new high school building.

The election to vote bonds for the West Side grammar school and for the high school will be held in time to permit construction of both before the beginning of another school year.

CALL MEETINGS FOR STANISLAUS

Thomas F. Griffin and John F. Neylan to Speak at Turlock Thursday and At Oakdale On Friday

MODESTO, Oct. 18.—Attorney Thomas F. Griffin, former Democratic assemblyman, and John F. Neylan, chairman of the State Board of Control, will hold two meetings in this country this week on behalf of the non-partisan law, one at Turlock Thursday night and the other at Oakdale Friday night. Little opposition to the measure is found in this county.

MERCED BREVITIES

MERCED, Oct. 18.—Late Saturday afternoon the residence of S. K. Brantley in Bradley addition was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin. Bradley addition is a suburb of Merced and is without fire-fighting apparatus.

The home coming and roll call meeting of Merced Lodge No. 208, I. O. O. F. Saturday night was a pronounced success. As each member's name was called a response was made by the member in person or by letter. About 135 of the total membership of 200 was present. Letters from absentees were read and these came from all sections of the United States and as far away as Nova Scotia. An elaborate banquet concluded the evening's reunion.

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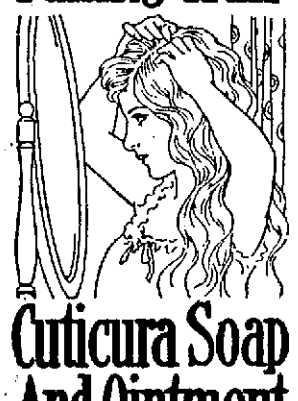

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Young Musicians in Merced Organize New Band With 18 Pieces

MERCED, Oct. 18. — The first practice meeting of the newly organized Cadet Band of Merced will be held this week under the direction of the instructor-leader, J. P. Bureilles, who is also director of the Merced Concert Band. Following are the names of the youthful musicians comprising the new brass band, and the instruments played: Julius Mitchell, E-flat bass; Orval Latour and Robert Utterback, baritones; E. D. Freeman and Louis Gutierrez, trombones; Loren Alvord, K. Thornton and Norman McSweyn, E-flat altos; Stanley Lord, bass drum; Robert Pottle, snare drum; Sam Huddleston, E-flat alto saxophone; Lester Lord and Kenneth Casad, B-flat clarinets; Malvin Zirker, E-flat clarinet; Frank Nickerson, trumpet; Harry Latour and B Huddleston, cornets. The officers are Harry Latour, president; E. D. Freeman, vice president; San Huddleston, manager; Stanley Lord, secretary; and Lester Lord, treasurer.

ARRANGE MEETING FOR Y. M. C. A.

E. W. Lindsay of Fresno, and Other Prominent Speakers to Address Gathering in Tulare

TULARE, Oct. 18.—Arrangements for the second annual older boys' conference of the Tulare County Y. M. C. A., to be held in Tulare Friday, Saturday and Sunday, are practically completed. The citizens of Tulare will entertain about 100 visiting delegates, furnishing lodging and meals. Among the speakers at the conference will be E. W. Lindsay, superintendent of the Fresno county public schools; H. O. Hill, state College and high school secretary from Los Angeles; W. D. McRae; state county secretary, of Los Angeles; Mr. Pediett, of Parlier; S. W. Douglas of Selma. The theme for the conference is "Playing the Game Square." The committee on local arrangements is composed of D. T. Fryaure, J. J. Mitchell, E. L. Dayhoff, A. T. Warden and Will L. Frew.

RECEIVES SHOT AIMED AT QUAIL

HANFORD, Oct. 18.—Dr. H. T. Hendricks was accidentally injured while quail hunting on the S. W. Hall ranch yesterday, in company with his brother, W. E. Hendricks. The two men were slightly separated in an orchard and when a quail arose W. E. Hendricks took a shot at the bird without knowing that his brother was in range. A number of the shot lodged in the face and other portions of the body. An X-ray examination was taken of the wound by a Fresno surgeon, which showed that the shot were lodged against the bones. They will not be removed at present.

THIRD FILM WORKER DIES AT ATLANTA

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 17.—Miss Lucille Davis, 18, one of those seriously burned here yesterday in a fire in the office of the Mutual Film Corporation, died today, bringing the death list up to three. One young woman was burned to death in the building and another died shortly after being taken to a hospital.

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FRESNO FIRM LANDS CONTRACT AT MADERA

Bridge Work Given to Manning Bros. in Competition With Others

MADERA, Oct. 18—Manning Bros. of Fresno were awarded the contract to build the concrete bridge over the Fresno river at D street by the city council this evening. The firm's bid was as follows; For the No. 1 plans, which call for concrete and steel, the bid was $9,470; for the No. 2 plans, the same without painting, $9,370. The other bidders were Mercrean B. & C. Co., Los Angeles, $12,130; No. 2, $11,837. W. N. Contanan, San Francisco, No. 1, $12,301; No. 2 $12,131. Johnson Bros., Kingsburg, $11,350; No. 2, $11,000. A. Mattson, South San Francisco, No. 1, $9,950; No. 2, $9,850. McRae & Noyaz, San Francisco, No. 1, $11,785; No. 2, $11,535. Benson & Jenson, Kingsburg, No. 1, $9,868; No. 2, $9,618. David McDonald, Livermore, No. 1, $11,982; No. 2, $11,704. Work will begin on the bridge within ten days, and will be rushed to completion. Manning Bros. were allowed to move the old bridge at a contract price of $50.

INJURED WORKMEN ARE RECOVERING

TAFT, Oct. 18.—D. B. Ferguson, who fell 90 feet from near the top of a derrick a few days ago, is slowly recovering from the shock under the care of nurses at the General hospital.

Other than from several broken bones in the arch of his foot, Ferguson suffered but little from the fall. This fracture has been placed in splints and is mending slowly.

Rufus Russell, who was badly burned by dripping gasoline when he was pinned under the car which crushed out the life of John Follis, is slowly recovering at the General hospital. The burns were exceedingly deep and being of a chemical nature, are slow in healing. As yet he is unable to use his leg, which was most affected.

LOS BANOS NOTES

LOS BANOS, Oct. 18.—James J. Sweeny was called to Modesto Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother, Patrick Sweeny, who had been an inmate of a Modesto hospital for over a year. Patrick Sweeny was a resident of Newman for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bibby and family with Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Bibby, motored to San Jose Sunday, returning in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Baldwin, their son, Harold, with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. M. Reutter, spent last week at the exposition, returning Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crawley, former residents of Los Banos, but recently of Los Angeles, are attending the fair in San Francisco.

Among those who were in attendance at the fair recently were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Place and daughter, Norma, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and son, Harry Foletta, J. M. Arburua and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Willis LeMasters.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weyman of the Mountain House, at the summit of Pacheco Pass grade, will not rebuild until spring, if at all. The old land mark that has stood for perhaps thirty years, was destroyed by fire recently. It is understood Mr. and Mrs. Weyman will move to Dos Palos for the winter.

HOLD UP HANFORD JAP IN DAYLIGHT

HANFORD, Oct. 18.—The Hanford Fish Market, of which T. Matsuri is the proprietor, was entered by masked men yesterday. The robbers kept Matsuri and his family cowed at the point of revolvers, made a thorough search of the premises and secured $70 in cash. George Omati's Japanese store was also broken into last night but nothing except a small amount of money was taken.

IS WOUNDED BY ACCIDENTAL SHOT

MERCED, Oct. 18.—Albert C. King, aged 39, is at the Merced hospital in a serious condition, having received a gunshot wound in the hip yesterday afternoon, which presents danger of blood poisoning. The wound was caused by the accidental discharge of a gun when moved in a wagon which King and a companion were using.

TRIAL AT SHANGHAI.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 18.—Trial has begun here of three Chinese charged with having in their possession 130 revolvers and 20,000 cartridges, furnished them by a German, it is said, for smuggling into India.

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The penetrating germ killing air of Hyomei enters every nook and crevice of your nose, throat and lungs, where ointments, lotions, stomach medicines, etc., cannot possibly reach. You breathe great drafts of it far up in your nose, throat and lungs. In six weeks and beside the inflamed passages, stops the nasty mucous discharge, prompts relishes the stuffed up feeling and makes breathing easy. And it does more. Its powerful penetrating air is positive, certain death to the catarrh germs themselves. It seeks them out wherever they are hiding and breathing it, your system and destroys them utterly. When you have destroyed the germs you have destroyed the cause of Catarrh and the disease leaves you. A complete Hyomei outfit including both a bottle of this Hyomei Liquid and the rubber inhaler through which you breathe it. Be sure to ask the druggist from whom you buy for both as the inhaler is quite necessary. It is packed right in the box with the liquid. The San Joaquin Drug Co., and other druggists in this vicinity sell the Hyomei outfit this way on a positive guarantee of satisfaction or your money back. Hyomei is without doubt the greatest Catarrh device in the world.

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Births, Deaths and Marriages in the San Joaquin Valley

BORN.

MANASSE—In Madera, October 18, 1915, to the wife of Arthur J. Manasse, a son.

MITCHELL—In Hanford, October 18, 1915, to the wife of W. W. Mitchell, a son.

MATTHEWSON—In Tulare, October 15, 1915, to the wife of F. C. Matthewson, a daughter.

LONDQUIST — In Kingsburg, Oct. 15, 1915, to the wife of Arthur Londquist, a daughter.

DIED.

FAITOUTE—In Hanford, October 17, 1915, Amanda J. Faitoute, aged 59 years, native of Wisconsin.

SCHNEIDER—In Pomona, October 17, 1915, J. C. Schneidor, aged 45 years, formerly a resident of Tulare.

LICENSED TO WED

ROBINSON-HOLLOWAY—At Modesto, Willard J. Robinson, 28, of Lodi, and Maria Barbia Holloway, 21, of Modesto.

HIRSELAND-BRUHN — At Modesto, Erle W. A. Hirsseland, 26, and Marie Bruhn, 18, both of Thulheim.

NICOLAU-ALAMEDA — At Modesto, Jose F. Nicolau, 27, and Mary Alameda, 26, both of Modesto.

McCABE-CHAPMAN——At Modesto, John W. McCabe, 37, and Helen Chapman, 19, both of Modesto.

MARRIED

FRANCIS-WITTS—In Merced, October 16, 1915, John C. Francis, 29, and Maybelle Witts, 33, both of Riverbank.

Irrigationists Plan Conference of All Districts in State

OAKDALE, Oct. 18.—Plans are being made for a conference of all the irrigation districts, to be held soon, probably in Modesto. Assemblyman L. L. Dennett, who was chairman of the irrigation committee in the last legislature, is instrumental in calling the convention of the irrigation districts of the state. There are fifteen irrigation districts in California, and the plan is for all the directors, the secretaries, engineers, assessors, and treasurers to hold a joint meeting in Modesto at an early date. Call for the convention will soon be sent out by the Turlock, Modesto, Oakdale and South San Joaquin districts.

The legislature authorized the appointment of a commission to formulate necessary amendments to the water law, and the committee which has been named by Gov. Johnson will meet with the convention. Aside from the irrigation officials, each district and the various commercial bodies within the district will be authorized to name additional delegates, in order that the business men may meet with the directors.

Subjects which will be discussed include the financing of irrigation districts, with particular attention to developing the bond market, and also plans for the colonization of irrigable land. Consideration will also be given to a uniform system of accounting. It is planned to call the convention before the close of the exposition, in order that the meeting may hear some of the distinguished visitors from other states and countries, in attendance at the fair.

WOODVILLE NOTES

WOODVILLE, Oct. 18. — The Fraternal Brotherhood lodge held its regular meeting Wednesday night. Several visiting members were present L. L. Hill, district manager, accompanied by Mrs. Hill, was present and presented the beautiful class banner that was won by the Woodville lodge for securing the most members in the month of June. The visiting members from Visalia were Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Flynn and daughter Miss Inez, and Miss Gladys Roach. Those from Porterville were Mr. and Mrs. James Miner, Mr. and Mrs. Zallund and two daughters, and two sons. After the business session refreshments were served and the evening was spent in dancing.

Fred S. Newkirk died at the Mt. Whitney hospital at Porterville Thursday as result of injuries received two hours earlier when he fell beneath the discs of a gang plow at which he was at work on the Green ranch three miles from here. He was aged 62 years and native of New Jersey, and had been in California for the past two years living with his brother William Newkirk, near the Poplar store. Interment will be made in the Home of Peace cemetery at Porterville, Saturday.

J. B. Monroe went to Hanford on Thursday to attend an auction sale and returned home Friday.

Roy McKenzie who was called to Bakersfield on business returned to this district Tuesday.

Perry Wilson, Sr., was a business visitor at Porterville Friday.

Mr. Mills and granddaughter, Miss Clara Enis were business visitors at Tulare Monday.

Perry Wilson, Sr., was a business visitor in the Poplar district Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams were business visitors at Lindsay Thursday.

Mrs. O. B. Denericks and daughter Miss Pauline and Miss Bessie Hannaford left yesterday for Fresno. They will go on from there by auto with friends to San Francisco where they will visit the exposition. Mrs. Denericks left her baby in the care of a trained nurse at Tulare while she is away.

Miss Rita Griffin came home from Porterville where she is attending high school, yesterday evening, to stay over Sunday.

Mr. Standley Williams of Lindsay is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams.

Mr. Wilson was a business visitor at Porterville Saturday.

Mrs. Williams spent Sunday and Monday visiting relatives at Lindsay.

Mrs. Blair, who hasn't been well for some time, is a good deal worse this morning.

PLAN TO DISCUSS SINGLE TAXATION

DINUBA, Oct. 18—A meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce has been called for tomorrow night, when the question of the single tax and the conservation of the Kings river waters will be discussed. A banquet will be served at the Dinuba hotel following the business meeting.

MEETING IS HELD TO FORM CIVIC CENTER

Maderans Hear Talks From Normal Man, and By Local People

MADERA, Oct. 18.—An audience of about 100 assembled at the Lincoln grammar school this evening for the purpose of organizing a civic center. Two auto loads from the Fresno State Normal school, headed by Prof. W. G. Given, were present to assist in the formation of the institution. Principal F. O. Mower, of the high school, presided, and addresses were made by Prof. Given and others of Fresno, and a short musical program in which members of the Fresno delegation took part. The chairman then called for short talks from Maderans on the necessity of a civic center, with responses from Supt. Craig Cunningham, Prof. W. M. Whiting, C. M. Petty and Mrs. Hickcox, president of the Woman's Improvement club. No attempt was made at perfecting a temporary organization this evening, but a meeting will be held some evening next week when the center will probably be formed. At the next meeting committees will be appointed for securing of a lecture course, on program, and on permanent organization.

BRIEF CORCORAN NEWS JOTTINGS

CORCORAN, Oct. 18.—Ben Duffield, county surveyor, spent a few hours in town Saturday. He expects to return the fore part of the week and establish the grades for the new sidewalks.

Mrs. John Elliott spent Saturday in Hanford.

Among those on the sick list are Mrs. L. B. Dapron, L. S. Randolf and Earl Connett.

Mrs. D. D. Dodson gave a party Saturday afternoon in honor of her son, Kenneth's, eighth birthday. There were nearly twenty present and every one thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon.

Constable D. J. Leary and City Marshal F. M. Burns motored to Bakersfield Friday on official business.

Mrs. S. E. Hayes and Miss Mildred Mayer left Saturday for a few days' visit at the fair.

Prof. Carl I. Anderson supplied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday. The subject of his talk was "The Church as an Educational Factor."

Rev. A. W. Shamel of Exeter preached his first sermon at the Methodist church Sunday. Rev. Shamel is the new minister sent here by the conference recently convened at San Diego. Rev. E. D. Barton, who has preached in the Methodist church for the past three years, was sent to Laton.

G. W. Atchison, who has charge of the sales department of the Standard Oil Company at this place, spent Friday in Fresno on business.

O. W. Odel, until recently a resident of this vicinity, but now living in Los Angeles, spent a few days in Corcoran. Mr. Odel is building a house in Waukena.

Mr. Leavens and family, and a daughter who is visiting them from Chicago, have just returned from a few days' outing at Three Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith attended the consignment sale in Hanford Thursday.

NEWS BREVITIES OF THREE RIVERS

THREE RIVERS, Oct. 18.—Miss Beth Dillon is visiting relatives and friends at Lindsay.

G. W. Swanson is spending a few days in Fresno.

Frank Scott is spending a few weeks in the valley.

Lloyd Lindsay is spending a two weeks' vacation at Los Angeles.

M. C. Griggs and Chas. Dillon of Exeter were in Three Rivers the past week.

Miss Laura Ogilvie is staying with Mrs. N. Britten.

T. E. Griffes and Jesse Freich were at the Milk ranch the past week.

Ranger John Grunigen and family are at the exposition.

Mrs. Effie Fry is visiting relatives at Lindsay.

Mr. Roy Hopping departed Tuesday for a trip through Arizona.

Mrs. W. C. Norton of Kansas is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and son, Edmund, left Friday for a week's visit at the exposition.

John Weckert of Kaweah is enjoying a visit from his brother of Sherwood, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balsam and Mrs. Mix of Exeter, with a party of San Francisco friends, motored to Three Rivers Friday.

D. A. Edwards of Visalia and Mr. and Mrs. A. Denkins of Woodlake spent Thursday and Friday in Three Rivers.

A. G. Ogilvie and family left Saturday morning for their new home at Orange Cove. They have resided here for many years and have many friends who regret their leaving.

KINGSBURG NOTES

KINGSBURG, Oct. 18—Ralph C. Homan is visiting Kingsburg for a short period on business. He is from Chino and occupies a position as Judge and editor of the Chino Champion.

Elmer J. Andrews motored to Fresno Sunday to spend the day with friends and relatives.

Ray Andrews was a business visitor in Fresno yesterday.

C. O. Jern is in Fresno today on business.

C. J. Stone motored to Fresno today.

C. E. Fosberg went to Fresno to spend the day with friends.

W. F. DeYarmin was in Fresno Sunday with friends.

Two large steel flat cars left Kingsburg today laden with wine grapes. The consignment is handled by the California Raisin Association, and is to be shipped to Calwa. The growers are getting $10 for this shipment.

PEDESTRIAN IS INJURED BY AUTO

MERCED, Oct. 18.—Thos. O'Brien, aged 49, was seriously injured this afternoon when struck down by an auto on the State Highway near Atwater. His head was badly bruised and there is a strong probability of internal injuries. The machine that struck the pedestrian was a damaged car which was being towed into town. O'Brien came here recently from Boston and was walking in search of work when the accident occurred.

Visalia Laundry Has Two Autos Wrecked; Driver Is Submerged

DINUBA, Oct. 18—Two automobiles belonging to a laundry company of Visalia are complete wrecks as the result of accidents within the last few days. Saturday W. L. Weeks, driver for the laundry company, in crossing the Southern Pacific tracks south of town stalled his engine directly in front of a train. Mrs. Meeks and their eight weeks' old baby were in the machine at the time and were barely able to get out before the collision. The car was totally demolished.

This morning the laundry company was sending another car over from Visalia with A. W. Hall driving, when in the outskirts of Dinuba Hall was compelled to drive his car into an irrigation ditch to avoid a collision. The machine toppled over into the water with Hall pinned underneath, but for the presence of mind of witnesses of the accident the man would have drowned. He was extricated with no other injury than a fracture of the right leg and minor bruises.

MADERA SHERIFF TO BAN SPEEDING

Numerous Accidents, Some Fatal, Cause of Order for State Highway; News Happenings

MADERA, Oct. 18.—Sheriff Lewis has given notice that speeding on the state highway in Madera county, above thirty miles an hour must stop, and will keep a sharp lookout for offenders. There have been many accidents in the last few months, due to speeding and in two or three instances fatalities have resulted.

Miss Genevieve Barnes, aged 18 years, daughter of C. E. Barnes, a rancher living five miles south of town was thrown from a horse yesterday and dislocated her shoulder.

Ernest N. White, editor of the Mercury, while returning from Hanford yesterday with his family, wrecked his auto and had a narrow escape from serious injury near Fresno, when his machine collided with one driven by a man from Clovis. The other auto was also wrecked. Mrs. White received slight injuries to one knee.

R. G. Allenson ran into a washout east of town Saturday evening and did some damage to his auto. Mrs. Allenson was thrown against the windshield, breaking the glass. She escaped injury.

Mrs. A. A. Skaggs, who was injured by a fall in San Francisco several days ago, was brought to her home here today.

J. F. and M. S. Wright have added a track layer and other heavy machinery to the equipment of the old Patterson ranch, which they now own.

Mrs. F. O. Mower entertained the women teachers of the city schools at a reception at her home Saturday evening. Those present were: Miss Maria B. Anderson, Mrs. Mary Crowell Burch, Miss Pauline Pickett, Miss Grace Kraft, Mrs. John T. Wasley, Mrs. L. W. Harvey, and Mrs. D. H. McCullagh.

NEWS BREVITIES OF ORANGE COVE

ORANGE COVE, Oct. 18.—W. L. Gaines of Southern California arrived Saturday with a carload of furniture, implements and live stock to take up residence here. Mr. Gaines owns 140 in the southeast corner of section 3.

The Orange Cove school trustees have added a piano to the equipment of the auditorium of the new school building.

Clarence Frane is now in attendance at the Reedley grammar school, preparatory to entering the high school. Tom Bingham was elected to the janitorship made vacant by the change in school by Frane.

J. H. Calhoon of Van Nuys, southern California, purchased two 20-acre plots of Orange Cove land Saturday. Mr. Calhoon will sink an irrigation well immediately and otherwise develop in order to plant the full acreage this coming winter.

Robert Boss is preparing to improve his 20 acres. At this time A. K. Flynn and son are putting down a well, and Sanders and Hood have the contract for putting in a concrete pipe irrigation system. Mr. Boss will also build a neat modern bungalow and other necessary outbuildings.

Annis and Luella Walker and Wesley Fleming entertained on Saturday evening at the Walker home in honor of Harlow Wright, who left Sunday for Bakersfield to attend high school. Games and music formed the diversion for the evening. Later, refreshments were served. Those present were: The Misses Agnes Laurendeau, Ava Ricker, Josephine Barber, Mrs. A. E. Walker, Messrs. Harlow Wright, Berthal Clark, Arnold Gregory, G. R. Douglas and A. E. Walker.

BRIEF REEDLEY PERSONAL NOTES

REEDLEY, Oct. 18.—Fred Sisal made a business trip to Fresno today.

Edwin Baldwin and wife left for San Francisco and the exposition Sunday morning, to be gone two weeks.

J. H. Pearson of Dinuba spent Sunday in Reedley as the guest of C. H. Howell and wife.

H. F. Wiggins and wife left Sunday morning by auto for San Francisco and vicinity.

James Gillingham and wife returned this morning from a visit to San Francisco and the exposition.

Roy Hardison of north Dinuba was a Reedley visitor today.

Fred LaMore and wife are visiting at the exposition.

J. W. Gildersleeve of Parma, Michigan, and J. R. Reed of Orosi, uncle and father, respectively, of D. L. Reed, were recent visitors at the Reed home.

Rev. C. R. Montague and family arrived in Reedley last week. Rev. Montague conducted the services at the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday.

Gene McCorkle and wife of Los Angeles are visiting at the home of Fred Linxwiler.

The Reedley high school football squad with Coach O. T. Storlt went to Dinuba Saturday to witness the game between Fresno and Dinuba high schools.

TULARE, Oct. 18—Secretary A. E. Miot of the Tulare County Board of Trade arrived here from the south yesterday and will remain in the county until after the arrival of the Santa Fe Farmers' Special on October 25. Mr. Miot reports that the county exhibits at the San Francisco and San Diego expositions are being kept fresh with seasonable fruits and products, and that they are still attractive much favorable interest.

EXCITEMENT AT FIRE IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Springville Ranchman Expires Soon After Combatting Flames

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 18—Paul Ewer, of the Mills district, dropped dead this afternoon of heart disease brought on by excitement of fighting a grass fire on the Blakely & Hill ranch eight miles from Springville. The fire was a small one, and after it was put out Ewer in company with others started for his auto to return home, when he fell unconscious. When he was picked up and placed in his machine, he was dead. He was aged 47 years, and was a bachelor. In company with his brother Frank Ewers, he owned a ranch ten miles above Springville.

APPOINT MAN TO ATTEND HEARING

Porterville to Be Represented At Visalia Rate Hearing; Other Business of Trustees

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 18.—Porterville will have a representative at the special hearing before the State Railroad Commission to be held in Visalia, October 29, to inquire into the rates of the Mt. Whitney Power Company and the Pacific States Telephone Company. The motion for the appointment of such a representative was made at the meeting of the city council held tonight on request of the commission officials.

Other business of the session included authorization to the city engineer for the construction of storm sewers on Grevilla avenue; granting of a permit to the U. S. Department of Agriculture for additions to their laboratory on Cleveland street; a building permit to the Randolph Fruit Company for erection of a new packing house on Olive street and a permit to the Southern Pacific railroad for change in location of certain of their tracks incident to paving work on Thurman street.

The protest filed against the proposed paving of Sunnyside avenue was laid over until the first meeting in November.

WIFE OF MODESTO PHYSICIAN DIES

MODESTO, Oct. 18. — Mrs. Eva Newcomer Snare, wife of Dr. J. P. Snare, died last night at the family home in Modesto after a very short illness from cerebral hemorrhage. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Christian church, Rev. J. H. McCartney, officiating. Interment will be in the new mausoleum in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Dr. and Mrs. Snare came to Modesto nine years ago, after the completion of Dr. Snare's course at the school of Osteopathy in Kirksville, Missouri. Mrs. Snare was very well known in Modesto, and was prominent in the work of the Christian church, and in musical circles, the entire family being of musical inclinations. She was stricken with illness Saturday evening, and died twenty-four hours later. Besides the husband she leaves two daughters, Rena and Ruth.

SOME DON'TS

For Stomach and Liver Sufferers

Don't take medicine for your Stomach ailments morning, noon and night, as usually such medicines only give temporary relief and simply digest the food that happens to be in the Stomach.

Don't permit a surgical operation. There is always serious danger in operations and in many cases of Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Ailments the knife can be avoided if the right remedy is taken in time.

Don't go around with a foul smelling breath caused by a disordered Stomach and Liver, to the discomfort of those you come in contact with.

If you are a Stomach sufferer, don't think you can not be helped; probably worse cases than yours have been permanently restored by Mayr's Wonderful Remedy.

Most Stomach ailments are mainly caused by a catarrhal condition. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy not only removes the catarrhal mucus, but allays the chronic inflammation and assists in rendering the entire alimentary and intestinal tract antiseptic, and this is the secret of its marvelous success.

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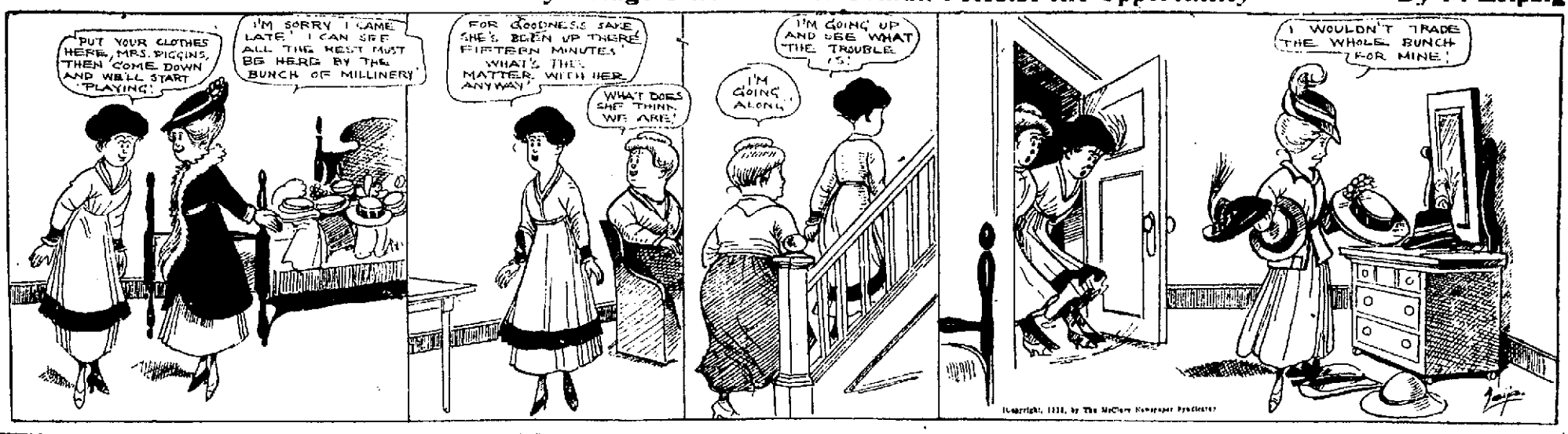
DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS---That Tardy Bridge Club Member Couldn't Resist the Opportunity

By F. Leipziger


PUT YOUR CLOTHES HERE, MRS. PIGGINS, THEN COME DOWN AND WE'LL START PLAYING!
I'M SORRY I CAME LATE! I CAN SEE ALL THE REST MUST BE HERE BY THE BUNCH OF MILLINERY!
FOR GOODNESS SAKE, SHE'S BEEN UP THERE FIFTEEN MINUTES! WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH HER ANYWAY!
WHAT DOES SHE THINK WE ARE!
I'M GOING UP AND SEE WHAT THE TROUBLE IS!
I'M GOING ALONG
I WOULDN'T TRADE THE WHOLE BUNCH FOR MINE!
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IT'S BRAIN AGAINST BRAWN IN FOOTBALL COMPARISON MADE BY LANNAGAN

American Game Is War On Small Scale, Authority Says—Asserts Rugby Requires Skill, Not Force

James F. Lannagan's second article, published in the Daily Palo Alto and dealing with the fine points of the American and rugby codes of football, deals further with the details of play. Mr. Lannagan's experience, as coach and player on Stanford teams, makes his article an authoritative one. The second installment follows:

Where, in the old days men stopped playing football directly they left college, we find that the teams of the athletic clubs and the various rugby clubs are composed, to a very large extent, of ex-college players. This can mean only one thing—that the players themselves enjoy the game and want to continue to play it just as long as they are physically fit to do so. If attendance and enthusiasm are criterions, the public has been and is very favorable to rugby. The success of rugby football, in spite of all obstacles, must have a reason, and the writer is convinced that that reason is that it is a better game than the so-called "American football"—better for spectators, better for players and better as a factor in our general scheme of education.

"To begin with, rugby is a much faster game; the ball is in play practically all of the time, excepting when kicked out of bounds. The very short delay on line-outs are really necessary to give the men the occasional relaxation they need. American football at its best is a very slow game. It is particularly slow under the new and complicated rules. It is necessary to line up after each down, and after that the signal must be given and the play started. People who have seen good rugby sometimes find it difficult to sit through a game of American football.

Brain vs. Brawn.

"In rugby, the ball is advanced primarily by skill, and not by force. No man who is off side may interfere with or obstruct an opponent or play the ball until he is on side. American football is war on a small scale. Its basic strategy consists in suddenly throwing against one or two men such an overwhelming force of off side interferers as to allow the man carrying the ball to advance without being tackled. In rugby there is all the attractiveness of sudden and violent personal contact, with the unfair element of an attack by four or five players upon one or two opponents.

"Rugby is really football. Every player must be able to kick and to kick well. The kicking attack is used in a general way to advance the ball to a point from which an attempt to score may be made. It is really only the finish of the attack that brings out the brilliant and spectacular passing rush. In American football the kicking is done by one or two specialists. Nobody else ever kicks the ball. The specialist punter may and does gain considerable ground for his team, but the main part of the attack consists in carrying the ball.

"Rugby requires an all round development. A really good player must be able to kick with either foot, carry the ball, and to take part at any time in a passing or dribbling rush. There is no place for the specialist. When the necessity for any particular line of ability arises, one man is just as likely to be called upon as another."

Reedley High Players Win at Kingsburg Tennis

KINGSBURG, Oct. 18.—The big tennis game which has been a principal topic of interest in Kingsburg, was played on the high school tennis court last Saturday. Reedley high sent her best players over to meet the crack players of Kingsburg high and returned with the honors of the day.

The game, attended by hundreds of students, was hard-fought, and brought out the best fighting qualities of the contestants. Kingsburg boys won in the singles and doubles. Reedley girls won in the singles and doubles, and the Reedley mixed players took the double which determined the game.

Jackson Team Wins From Jefferson, 20 to 18

In an indoor baseball game on the Holmes playgrounds Monday, the second team of the Jackson school won from the second team of the Jefferson school, 20 to 18. This game is the first of a series to be played on the Holmes playgrounds.

COUNTY PAYS BIG INSURANCE PREMIUM

Supervisors Comply With Recommendation of Grand Jury

Fresno county paid to the state this month the sum of $5,152 for compensation insurance, which heretofore has been carried by the county itself.

This action was taken by the board of supervisors in accord with the action of the last grand jury, which recommended that the county take out a policy from the state rather than to continue as it had done.

The policy issued is based on 65 per cent of the salary of every employe in the county, the rate per $100 of earnings running from 11 cents for clerical office employes to $4.05 for sheriff and the police department industry of the county.

The bill as presented the county by the state compensation insurance board and paid by the county is as follows:

Class	Pay Roll Earnings Employes	Rate Per $100 of earn.	Premium
Clerical office employes	$126,815.00	.11	$ 139.49
Drivers of teams	375.00	2.04	7.65
Hospital employes, professional	3,900.00	.27	26.73
All other employes, except clerical office	15,057.20	1.50	226.96
Librarian, asst. and clerical asst. in public libraries	10,400.00	.11	11.44
Municipal employes—Not engaged in manual labor and not engaged in clerical office duties	40,020.00	.60	240.12
Police department industry—Sheriff, constables, marshals, game and fish wardens and jailor	40,560.00	4.05	1,874.83
Road or street making and repairing—(No blasting)—including operator and road making machinery and vehicles in connection therewith	102,225.00	2.70	2,760.07
Surveying and inspecting engine work	2,800.00	2.25	$5.50
Total			$5,152.99

ROBERT WARD, FEDERAL LEAGUE LEADER, DIES

Head of Baking Powder Companies Was Also President Brooklyn Club —Was a Lifelong Fan

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Robert B. Ward, widely known as leading figure in the Federal Baseball league, as the president of the Brooklyn club, died tonight at his home near New Rochelle, after a brief illness, at the age of 63 years.

Would Play Practice Game With Selma Here Saturday

Negotiations are being carried on by athletic officials of the Fresno high school for a practice game of football with the Selma high school team in Fresno next Saturday. Both teams have open dates in the central section schedule at this time.

SUGGESTS AMERICANS USE WIRELESS SERVICE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Suggestions that the wireless be used by Americans in communicating with neutral European countries to avoid censorship by belligerents were contained in a letter from Secretary of State Lansing made public here today by United States Senator James D. Phelan. The letter stated that the state department was endeavoring to obtain freedom from intervention and censorship of commercial messages by the British censors but that the problem was "obviously a most difficult one."

OPERA STARS ARRIVE

NEW YORK, Oct. 18—Enrico Caruso, tenor; Giulio Gatti-Casazza, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera company, and Cleofonte Campanini of the Chicago Opera company arrived today on the steamer Dante Alleghieri from Genoa, Italy. Other arrivals were Rosina Galli, the dancer; Giorgio Poliacco, conducter, and Giuseppe de Luca, baritone.

COACH WARNER WILL OFFICIALLY PROTEST GAME WITH DINUBA

Fresno Claims Kai Kee, Iverson and Farrar, Football Men, Have Played Professional Baseball

J. W. Warner, coach of the Fresno high school football team, will officially protest the game with Dinuba last Saturday in which the Dinubans scored a 7 to 0 victory over Fresno. Three members of the Dinuba eleven were ineligible to play, according to Coach Warner's claims. The ineligible players are Kai Kee, Iverson and Farrar.

Each of these men has played professional baseball, according to Mr. Warner. Farrar played with the Byrds in the Fresno City Baseball League last summer and the other two men have played professional ball with Dinuba and Sanger teams.

Some time this week Coach Warner will file official protests with H. A. Owen, president of the Central Section of the California Interscholastic Federation and the principal of the Orosi high school, who is the chairman of the league's protest committee.

CHILDREN TRAVEL MANY MILES TO SCHOOL

Hardships Which Pupils Endure to Acquire An Education

More Than One Hundred Make Daily Trips of a League

"You often hear people talk of the hardships they had to endure when children in order to obtain an education, but there are many children now who have to endure equal hardship," said Assistant County Superintendent of Schools A. E. Balch, yesterday. "The law, you know," he continued, "does not require a child to go more than two miles to attend school, but there are a number of pupils in Fresno county who go a greater distance than that every day they attend school and that means every school day, for these pupils are seldom absent.

"There are twenty-five children in the county who go more than four miles, and in the New Hope school is one boy who travels five miles every day to attend school. He is an eighth grade pupil. And more than one hundred go three miles. There is some provision made for carrying pupils who live great distances from school, but in the cases that I speak of they are scattered so that they cannot be sent for.

"But these children want an education and they propose to acquire it regardless of the hardship necessary owing to the distance they live from the school building.

"At the Tierra Loma school there are two boys who have to come four miles to school. But they don't mind it, apparently, and rather enjoy the trip which they make daily. The boys have a donkey and one will ride a while and then will give way to his brother and this way they have a good time on their journey.

"I recall one boy who lives in the Manzanita school district who came down a mountain trail a distance of over three miles and then climbed it again in the evening after school, for by the highway from school to his home he would have had to travel seven miles. Then when the weather was bad he had provisioned a cabin near the school and he kept batch there.

"These instances just show the fact that there are difficulties that have to be met now in the securing of an education as when the pioneers attended school."

ELEMENTARY BASEBALL TEAMS TO START PLAY

First Games for the Fall Playground Championship Will Be Held Tomorrow—The Schedule

Baseball teams from the elementary and intermediate departments of the Fresno schools are ready to start play in the schedule of games for the fall elementary playground baseball championship. First games of the season will be played tomorrow. The play will be under the direction of R. L. Quigley, superintendent of city playgrounds.

The schedule and playing locations for the different departments are as follows:

Elementary Schools.

Division I.

Columbia vs. Lincoln, Wednesday, October 20, at Fink-Smith. playground.
Kirk vs. Emerson, Wednesday, October 20, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Kirk, Wednesday, October 27, at Cosmos playground.
Lincoln vs. Emerson, Wednesday, October 27, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Emerson, Wednesday, November 3, at Fink-Smith playground.
Kirk vs. Lincoln, Wednesday, November 3, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Lincoln, Wednesday, November 10, at Cosmos playground.
Kirk vs. Emerson, Wednesday, November 10, at California Field playground.
Columbia vs. Kirk, Wednesday, November 17, at Cosmos playground.
Lincoln vs. Emerson, Wednesday, November 17, at California Field playground.
Columbia vs. Emerson, Wednesday, November 24, at California Field playground
Kirk vs. Lincoln, Wednesday November 24, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Lincoln, Wednesday, December 1, at Fink-Smith playground.
Kirk vs. Emerson, Wednesday, December 1, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Kirk, Wednesday, December 8, at Fink-Smith playgrounds.
Lincoln vs. Emerson, Wednesday, December 8, at Cosmos playground.
Columbia vs. Emerson, Wednesday, December 15, at California playground.
Kirk vs. Lincoln, Wednesday, December 15, at Cosmos playground.

Division II.

Webster vs. Lowell, Thursday, October 21, at Dickey playground.
Hawthorne vs. Emerson, Thursday, October 21, at California playground.
Jefferson vs. Jackson, Thursday, October 21, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Hawthorne, Thursday, October 28, at Dickey playground.
Lowell vs. Jefferson, Thursday, October 28, at Holmes playground.
Emerson vs. Jackson, Thursday, October 28, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Emerson, Thursday, November 4, at Dickey playground.
Lowell vs. Jackson, Thursday, November 4, at Holmes playground.
Howthorne vs. Jefferson, Thursday, November 4, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Jackson, Thursday, November 11, at Dickey playground.
Lowell vs. Hawthorne, Thursday, November 11, at Dickey playground.
Emerson vs. Jefferson, Thursday, November 11, at California playground.
Webster vs. Jefferson, Thursday, November 18, at Holmes playground.
Lowell vs. Emerson, Thursday, November 18, at Dickey playground.
Webster vs. Lowell, Thursday, November 25, at Dickey playground.
Hawthorne vs. Emerson, Thursday, November 25, at California playground.
Jefferson vs. Jackson, Thursday, November 25, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Hawthorne, Thursday, December 2, at Holmes playground.
Lowell vs. Jefferson, Thursday December 2, at Dickey playground.
Emerson vs. Jackson, Thursday, December 2, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Emerson, Thursday, December 9, at Dickey playground
Lowell vs. Jackson, Thursday, December 9, at Holmes playground.
Hawthorne vs. Jefferson, Thursday, December 9, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Jackson, Thursday, December 16, at Holmes playground.
Lowell vs. Hawthorne, Thursday, December 16, at Dickey playground.
Emerson vs. Jefferson, Thursday December 16, at Holmes playground.
Webster vs. Jefferson, Thursday December 23, at Dickey playground.
Lowell vs. Emerson, Thursday, December 23, at California playground.
Jackson vs. Hawthorne, Thursday, December 23, at Holmes playground.

Primary Department.

Longfellow vs. Edison, Tuesday, October 19, at Cosmos playground.
Washington vs. Normal, Tuesday, October 19, at Dickey playground.
Washington vs. Longfellow, Tuesday, October 26, at Holmes playground.
Normal vs. Edison, Tuesday, October 26, at Edison playground.
Longfellow vs. Normal, Tuesday, November 2, at Holmes playground.
Washington vs. Edison, Tuesday, November 2, at Cosmos playground.
Longfellow vs. Edison, Tuesday, November 9, at Holmes playground.
Washington vs. Normal, Tuesday, November 9, at Dickey playground.
Washington vs. Longfellow, Tuesday, November 16, at Dickey playground.
Normal vs. Edison, Tuesday, November 16, at Cosmos playground.
Longfellow vs. Normal, Thursday, November 25, at Dickey playground.
Washington vs. Edison, Thursday, November 25, at Holmes playground.
Longfellow vs. Edison, Thursday, December 2, at Cosmos playground.
Washington vs. Normal, Thursday, December 2, at Dickey playground.
Washington vs. Longfellow, Thursday, December 9, at Holmes playground.
Normal vs. Edison, Thursday, December 9, at Fink-Smith field.
Longfellow vs. Normal, Thursday, December 16, at Holmes playground.
Washington vs. Edison, Thursday, December 16, at Cosmos playground.

Liberty School Girls Win at Baseball, 15 to 14

TULARE, Oct. 18.—A girls' baseball team from Liberty school near this city defeated a team of boys and girls at Goshen, Saturday, 15 to 14. The Liberty team follows: Gerta Powell, p; Mildred Anderson, c; Doris Jamerson, 1b; Mabel Watters, 2b; Helen Storm, 3b; Ruth Pinneo, rf; Naomi Pinneo, lf; Hazel Smith, cf; Hattie Kitchell, ss.

PIONEER CALIFORNIA HOTEL KEEPER DIES

W. G. Graham Once at Visalia; Recently at San Rafael

NYACK, N. Y., Oct. 18.—W. G. Graham, a California pioneer, while visiting his son-in-law, the Rev. Dr. A. H. Fish of the First Presbyterian church here today, accidentally stepped out of a window and was killed. Mr. Graham was in his eighty-fifth year, and belonged to the Society of California Pioneers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—William G. Graham, news of whose death reached here today, was well known throughout California in the early days as a hotel keeper. He came to California in 1849 on the schooner Emory.

He established a hotel in that year at Calaveras Big Trees and was later connected with the Pacific Congress Springs hotel, the Visalia hotel, and the Vance hotel of Eureka. He then came to San Francisco and conducted the Morton house, which antedated the Lick and Russ hotels, famous hostelries of the early days. Until recently he lived with his son, German S. Graham, of San Rafael.

FOR AGED MINISTERS

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—The general conference of the Evangelical association adopted a resolution today to launch an immediate campaign to raise $400,000 for the support of superannuated ministers. The Young People's Alliance, it was announced, already had raised $50,000. The total amount will be raised during the next four years.

TO NAME CARDINALS

ROME, via Paris, Oct. 18, 11:35 p. m.—Pope Benedict shortly will hold a consistory at which new cardinals will be created. The consistory probably will take place before Christmas.

YOUNGER TENNIS MEN IN GAMES YESTERDAY SHOW THEIR SPEED

J. L. Maupin, Jr. and Conrad Warner Win Close Match With H. B. Luke and J. B. Close—Schedule Today

Fresno's younger tennis men had their inning yesterday and staged a doubles contest that proved one of the closest and best played of the Fresno County Tennis Tournament play. J. L. Maupin, Jr., and Conrad Warner, each a son of a tennis star, and contender for the finals in the tennis meet, took a victory from H. B. Luke and J. B. Close. The scores were 1-6, 9-7 and 6-4.

In the singles play yesterday R. L. Simon defeated Ed Hughson 6-3 and 6-0, and Lee Cobb won from R. R. Beuthel, 6-3 and 6-1. Two good games are scheduled for the Dickey courts at 6 o'clock this morning. Conrad Warner will oppose Norvel Redford and H. A. Savage and Lee Cobb will meet F. A. Homan and Allie Becker. The latter match is expected to be a close one. H. W. Edwards and Elliot Bradley will meet in singles on the Dickey courts at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Ed Hughson and Norvel Redford will oppose R. H. Ellithorpe and R. C. Avery on the Dickey courts at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. H. A. Savage and John Coats will meet in singles at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The cups and trophies which will be awarded winners in doubles and singles matches, will today be placed on display in the windows of the Warner company.

Members of the Fresno Tennis association yesterday decided to accept the challenge of the Tulare county singles and doubles winners for a match at the close of the Fresno County Tennis tournament. The Tulare champions will be asked to name the dates and conditions under which the intercounty matches will be played.

Fresno Cubs Challenge Other Valley Nines

The Fresno Cubs, a newly organized baseball nine with several former City Leaguers in the lineup, is ready to take on any amateur team in the valley. The address of the team manager, B. Burns, is 2511 White avenue.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 18.—Dr. W. S. Solf, German Secretary of State for the Colonies, has arrived at The Hague. Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, the returning Austro-Hungarian minister to the United States, is also expected at The Hague, it is stated.

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MARTHA WASHINGTON WILL IS PUT BACK

FAIRFAX COURTHOUSE, Va., Oct. 18.—Martha Washington's will, which was taken from the courthouse here by a Union trooper during one of the battles of Bull Run and later found its way into the collection of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, was returned to the county archives today with elaborate ceremonies.

Recently the state of Virginia sued J. P. Morgan in the Supreme Court of the United States to recover the historic document. Morgan suggested that it be placed in Mt. Vernon. Fairfax county folk, however, claimed it as part of their court records and today it was restored to its place beside the will of General Washington. The case against Mr. Morgan will be dropped.

MILITARY BALL TO BE GREAT SOCIAL EVENT

State Officers Invited to Attend Opening of New Armory

Governor Hiram Johnson, the state militia officers, and all the officers of the Second Regiment of the California National Guard, aside from large numbers of local citizens, have been invited to attend the grand opening military ball in the new armory, 928 I street, on next Friday. Arrangements are being made to have one of the state officers lead the grand march. The committee in charge is laying plans to have several musical features between the regular numbers of the dance program.

The hall is one of the largest and best equipped armories in the West. The building with the exception of store space, is given over entirely to the military quarters. It was built at a cost of $25,000. The furnishings have been partially provided by the various civic bodies of the city who have contributed over $500. An additional sum of $2,000 will be used in furnishing the quarters.

Arrangements for the event are being conducted by Major Will Kelly, Second Regiment; Captain Claude Fowler, Company K; and Captain J. J. Phillips, Company C.

CHICAGO'S FIRST CHINESE CHURCH

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Chicago's first Chinese church was opened today. It began its formal ministry to the 4,000 Orientals in the city. It is known as the First Chinese Evangelical church and was started with fifty-five active members. It is inter-denominational in character, being formed by aid of the co-operative council of city missions.

YOUTH SANDBAGGED AND TIED TO TRACK

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Highwaymen sandbagged Newton Hoffmann, 22 years old, as he stepped from a southbound Erie train at South Haven today and wired him to the track. He was run over by a train which came along an hour later and his foot taken off. His head had been placed between the tracks and was found upburt. After the accident, he regained consciousness and told the story of his holdup. He remembered nothing, he said, from the time he was sandbagged until he felt a sharp pain in his foot. He was rushed to a Rochester hospital on a special train and it is thought he will recover.

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THE YELLOW SHELL WITH THE CORRUGATED HEAD.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

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final hour, when U. S. Steel became the central figure, rising 2⅛c to $77⅛, its best price since 1910. This was achieved by purchasing of individual lots running from 1,000 to 6,000 shares.

Gains in the war group were general, but extremely variable. New records were made by Bethlehem Steel, which rose 11 points to 495. Willys-Overland 10 to 285; Studebaker, 5¾ to 187¾; American Steel Foundries, 5⅜ to 70⅝; United States Industrial Alcohol, 7⅛ to 107½; Central Leather, 1 to 55¼. Liggett & Meyers, one of the tobacco issues, also shared in this distinction, advancing 2½ to 245. In addition to these records, sharp gains were made by Bethlehem Steel preferred, General Motors, Maxwell common, and second preferred, Westinghouse, General Electric, Crucible Steel, Virginia Coal, Iron & Coke, and several of the metal shares, notably American Smelting.

Canadian Pacific led the rail, rising 4 points, to 169, with marked strength in St. Paul, Great Northern, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie, New Haven, and some of the southern group. Hartman's and coalers were up 1 to 2 points, but lost some ground later, profit taking making for some irregularity at the active close. Total sales amounted to 930,000 shares.

Some stiffening of rates on London and Paris, with a shading of time money quotations, were among the other favorable developments of the day.

Bond quotations were higher, despite an increase of European selling. Total sales, par value, aggregated $3,970,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

MONEY

NEW YORK—Mercantile paper, 3@3½ per cent.

Sterling: Sixty day bills, $4.65; demand, $4.69.55; cables, $4.70.15.

Bar silver, 48½c; Mexican dollars, 34½c.

Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, strong.

Time loans, firm; 60 days, 2½@2¾ per cent; 90 days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3 per cent.

Call money, easier; high, 2 per cent; low, 1½ per cent; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1¾ per cent; offered at 2 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO—Mexican dollars, 41c; drafts, sight, 1½c; do, telegraph, 4c.

LONDON—Bar silver, 23 15-16d per ounce.

Money, 3½@4 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCKS

(For Northwest)

U. S. ref 2s, registered	97
U. S. Ref. 2s, coupon	97
U. S. 3s, registered	100
U. S. 3s, coupon	100½
U. S. 4s, registered	105¾
U. S. 4s, coupon	105¾
American Smelters, 6s	110
Atchison Gen. 4s	93
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	53½
New York Central, deb. 6s	108
Northern Pacific 4s	91½
Northern Pacific 3s	63½
Pacific Tel. & Tel 5s	97½
Pennsylvania con. 4½s	102¾
Southern Pacific ref. 4s	86½
Union Pacific 4s	94¼
Union Pacific cv. 4s	92¼
United States Steel 5s	102¾
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	105

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, on the 1st day of November, 1915, at the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. of said day, will be in session at the council chamber in the City Hall of said City of Fresno, for the purpose of receiving, and will receive, proposals or bids for the erection and installation of a pipe organ in the Fresno Auditorium, at the northerly corner of "L" and Kern Streets, in the said City of Fresno; bidders to submit specifications therefor with their bids.

Said bids will be opened at the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. on said 1st day of November, 1915. Each bid must be accompanied by a check certified by a responsible bank, payable to the order of the Mayor and City Clerk of said City of Fresno, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the amount of the proposal or sum bid, which said check shall be forfeited to said City should such bid be accepted and the bidder fail to enter into a contract and execute the bond hereinafter mentioned within ten days after such bid has been accepted by said City.

The successful bidder shall, within fifteen days after the contract has been awarded, make and execute a written contract therefor with said City of Fresno, and also make and execute a bond to said City and file the same with the City Clerk in a sum not less than one-half of the total amount payable by the terms of the contract. Such bond shall be executed by the contractor and at least two sureties in an amount not less than the sum specified in the bond, and shall be conditioned upon the faithful performance of said contract by said contractor. The contract and bond shall be in form satisfactory to the Mayor and City Attorney of said City.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids made.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1915.

W. H. RYAN,
(Seal) City Clerk of the City of Fresno.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Paul Brix, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Emma M. Brix, Harry C. Wilber and Herbert Levy, administratrix and administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Paul Brix, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Fresno, State of California, within fourteen days after the first publication of said notice, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within said period of fourteen days to the administratrix and administrators with the will annexed at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Said period of fourteen days during which claims may be filed or presented, is the unexpired time allowed for the filing and presentation of said claims by reason of the removal of Herman H. Brix as executor of the last will and testament of Paul Brix, deceased.

Dated October 7th, 1915.

EMMA M. BRIX,
HARRY C. WILBER,
HERBERT LEVY,
Administratrix and administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Paul Brix, deceased.

M. B. HARRIS & E. M. HARRIS,
Attorneys for administratrix and administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Paul Brix, deceased.

Date of first publication October 8th, 1915.

AUCTION SALE OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES

At Capitol Jewelry House, 1928-26 Mariposa St.

Consisting all kinds of ladies' and gents' watches, Waltham, Elgin, Howard, Hamelton, Hampden, Illinois, Ball Special, Burlington Special, New York Standard and all kinds of other movements from 0 size to 18 size, in solid gold, gold filled, Sterling silver and nickel, in open and hunting cases. All kinds of ladies' and gents' plain and fancy rings, with diamonds and without. All kinds of ladies' and gents' plain and fancy lockets, with or without diamonds. All kinds of ladies' brooches, set with all kinds of diamonds and pearls. All kinds of ladies' and gents' solid gold and silver chains. All kinds of ladies' and gents' emblems, solid gold and gold filled. All kinds of ladies' gold bracelets, plain and fancy with or without diamonds. All kinds of cameras and kodaks. All kinds of field and opera glasses. All kinds of leather goods, bags and suit cases. All kinds of ladies' diamond and pearl ear screws. Will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve or limit. Sale daily 10 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.

C. F. COWLES, Auctioneer.

N. Y. STOCKS

Goldfield.

Shares	Stock.	Bid.	Ask.
	Jumbo Extension	27	.29
1,000	Booth	40	42
	Blue Bird	2	3
	Combination	5	6
	Daisy	3	4
2,000	Dia Mond	3	4
	Florence	4	5
500	Goldfield Con.	1.35	1.37
4,000	Jumbo Ex.	1.25	1.27
2,000	Merger	18	19
1,000	Spearhead	10	11
	Silver Pick	3	4
	Vernal	7	8
	Yellow Tiger	1	2
1,000	Ohio	10	11
1,000	Sandstorm	2	3
1,500	Kewanee	1.50	2
	Manhattan.		
	Big Four	1	2
	Better Union	1	2
	Gold Wedge	1	2
	Manhattan Con.	1	2
	Manhattan Dexter	1	2
	Morning Glory	1	2
	White Caps	3	4
	Comstock.		
5,000	Con Va	22	23
	Confidence	2	3
	Hale and Norcross	5	6
3,000	Mexican	40	41
5,000	Ophir	8	9
	Savage	10	11
11,000	Sierra Nevada	10	11
13,000	Union	3	4
	Tonopah.		
	Belmont	90	95
2,500	Cash Boy	5	6
	Gipsy Queen	1	2
	Jim Butler	75	77
	Mergar	4	5
	Midway	1	2
	Monarch P. Ex.	1	2
	Montana	27	28
	Mizpah Ex.	20	21
	McNamara	3	4
	North Star	10	11
	Rescue Eula	7	9
	Tonopah of Nevada	5.50	6
	Tonopah Ex.	2.87½	2.90
	Unionville	1	2
	West End	18	20
	Miscellaneous.		
1,000	Arizona Tom Reed	27	28
	First Silver Peak	5	6
	Nevada Hills	16	18
	Round Mountain	40	43
	Silver Peak	50	60
1,500	Rochester	27	29
	Big Jim	1	2

FOR SALE—Stock

FOR SALE—A span of 900-lb. aged mules, $75. Hulo, 453 K.

TWENTY fresh milch cows, half cash, half terms. 1942 Kern St.

FIVE years old, works single or double and rides. See him at 2719 Thomas Ave.

HIGH grade Holstein-Friesian bull, three years old, from fine milk stock. Price reasonable. L. E. Woodsend, Spn. Cal.

FOR SALE, cheap, team, harness and spring wagon. Just the thing for express business. F. C. Knapp, 3129 Nevada Ave.

FOR SALE—Ten A1 sows, soon to farrow; 1 thoroughbred Berkshire boar. Grange avenue; ½ mile from the highway. R. R. 2, Box 90 D. Phone 8248-J4. John Sugliar.

FOR SALE—Fresh young Jersey cow. Corner Millbrook and Interurban car line, P. A. Larson.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow. Phone 2726-J. No Sunday calls.

FOR SALE — Two 5-year-old mares, weight 3,000 lbs; 2 good work mules. Valley Hay and Grain Co., 3402 Tulare St.

AUCTION SALE.

I will sell to the highest bidder, at 1 o'clock sharp, 345 Railroad avenue, October 21, the following property without reserve, as I must have money: 18 head of stock: One good span work mules and 16 head all purpose horses, broke to all harness, young and sound. Don't miss this sale. A. P. Simpson, auctioneer. F. J. Clark, A. W. Leonard, owners.

FOR SALE—Three Jersey heifers. G. Barberich, between Cherry and East, on Washington.

HORSES for sale and hire. Sherman Feed Yard. New management. Clark & Leonard, props., 345 Railroad ave.

FOR SALE—One horse, 1350 lbs.; five-year-old; work single or double. Sell on trial. 338 N street.

FOR SALE—Holstein bull, 3 years old. Three miles south on Elm Ave. Box 18, R. 2. C. Lane.

FOR SALE—Hog men take notice. Two fine registered mule foot boars, four months old, fat and healthy. Mule Foot Hog Farm, R. 6, Box 26, Dinuba, Cal.

THIRTY head two year old dairy heifers, some fresh; forty head yearlings, steers and heifers; twenty calves. 203 J St.

NINE Holstein dairy cows, coming fresh with second calf. Gentle and heavy milkers. Phone "McCord ranch," J. D. McCord, R. R. 3, Box 23, Selma.

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows. Phone 8243-J-4. G. W. Taft, Route 8, Fresno.

FOR SALE—A span of vineyard mules. Will exchange for pair of unbroken colts. One driving mare, $35. G. M. Bole, 453 K St.

FOR SALE cheap, driving mare, buggy and harness. John Morris, three miles west Caruthers.

FOR SALE—Nice weanling mules, 26 head all round horses. Chas. Hubbard, Riverdale, Cal.

FOR SALE—29 cows, one bull, all high grade and marked Holstein; 8 just fresh, 8 fh two weeks, balance be fresh in two months. All at $90 per head; $1300 cash, balance half cream check to responsible party. C. B. Randall, at post office, Kerman, Cal. Phone 187.

FOR SALE—Standard bred mare, five years old. In foal by Warlow's stallion "Black Hall." Buggy and harness also for sale. Phone 813-J or 2598 J.

AUCTIONEER

A. P. Simpson the well known auctioneer of the valley. Phone 1691. 106 First St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—Forty head of yearling native steers. One mile west of Tulare on Hanford road. H. W. Swartz, Route 1, Box 6, Tulare, Cal.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For cattle, 4 registered Holstein calves, 2 heifers and 2 males; 4 bee hives bees full of honey, and complete cheese outfit. Manning & Smith, Kerman.

A No. 1 two fresh cows with heifer calves. Call afternoons, 3554 McKenzie. Phone 848 J.

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FOR SALE—Full blood Holstein and Jersey milk cow. Inquire 2501 Washington.

12 HEAD of good heavy work horses, mares and harness. Two miles west of Laton on Creamery Road. D. Saulsbury.

COL. P. McHENRY, Auctioneer. Go anywhere. Terms reasonable. Address 1273 Yosemite, Fresno, Calif.

35 HEAD cattle, mostly yearlings and calves. Some good milch cows. A. J. Woody, McCall Ave., 1½ miles south of Selma. R. 3, Box 7-B.

FOR SALE—At Empire Stables, corner J and Inyo, work horses, saddle horses, 2 saddles, 2 pack saddles, work harness, driving harness, spring wagons. Empire Stables, Jay and Inyo.

FOR SALE, by owner—Mare, open buggy, harness; all first-class in every particular. For further information apply P. O. Box 662 or room 116, Forsyth Bldg., Fresno.

FOR SALE—Good, new milch cows, also blue Da and Collie pups. Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Railroad and Church avenues, Phone 1768.

A GOOD young team of horses suitable for driving or camping; sound and gentle if looking for good team, call 786 J St.

For Rent, Country Property

FOR RENT—Several 10-20-40-80 acre unimproved lands with ditches; close in Fresno. R. L. Box 64, Republican.

FOR RENT—400 acre alfalfa ranch, fenced and cross fenced, for term of five years. Write Peter M. Nelson, Hanford.

Physicians and Surgeons

HERMAN SILVERMAN, M. D., Skin diseases a specialty. Office hours 10-5. Rowell Bldg. Telephone 425.

THINGS ON WHEELS

FOR SALE—1915 Ford touring car; has Hesech shock absorbers and Klaxon horn; been used only a short time. Can be seen at Waterman Bros. of Telephone 2325-J. Price $400.

BUY A CAR.

Buy a good motor car on easy terms. Following is a list of used cars which we have on hand. Consider the prices, they are right.

1911 Cadillac, touring, first class condition, refinished $1000

1912 Cadillac, repainted, A1 condition $875

Cadillac light delivery truck $250

1912 Ford touring, refinished, high tension Bosch magneto $325

DON LEE

1125 J St. Phone 3246.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, 1912 Ford, first class condition. Price $200. H. B. Miller, Strathmore, Cal.

FOR SALE—For a quick sale, 1915 Ford touring car in A1 shape for $400. Look this up before buying a new car. Telephone 3135-J.

BARGAINS in used cars. Ask for Hutchins, Thompson & La Casse Co., 1515 I. Terms to responsible parties. 1913 model 32 Hupmobile, 1915 model Hupmobile, complete; 1915 five Fifth, Grey & Davis; starting and lighting system, 1914 Auburn, starting, lighting, fully equipped. All of these cars in perfect mechanical condition. Bargains in used cars. Ask for Hutchins, Thompson & La Casse Co., 1515 I. Phone 3841. Terms to responsible parties.

FRESNO AUTO TRIMMING SHOP puts on "Never Leak" tops. Other automobile trimmings. 1914-16 Inyo St.

ONE 1911 Hup 32, electric equipped, fine condition, $700. One 1913 Hup 32, overhauled, mechanically perfect, $550. 1911 Regal, electric equipped, $350. 1910 Pullman, great bargain, $250. Peacock & Tobbine at Case Garage.

FOR SALE — Garford touring car, electric light and starter $750.00
Hudson 33 touring car 425.00
1913 Reo touring car 450.00
1913 Studebaker 25 touring 350.00
1912 Overland touring car 375.00
COBB-EVANS AUTO CO., Fresno.

FOR SALE—A late model Peerless 5-passenger touring car that cost $6,000.00. This car has just been painted and is in first class condition; will sell at a very reasonable cash price. Call up 3810-J, or write P. O. Box 105, Fresno.

WANTED—Light car in good condition. Prefer a Ford. Deferred payments. Responsible party. Address Box 893 Lindsay, Cal.

FOUR CYL. Light truck, fine condition. First $150 check gets it. Apply 1022 Eye street. Afternoon.

SECOND-HAND CAR BARGAINS.

Flanders runabout: $210.
Fords from $150 to $450.
Buick, 6-pass., $450.
One Federal 1¼ ton truck, $1400.
One Kelley 3½ ton truck, $2900.
One Little Giant one-ton truck, $1375.
One Chase ¾-ton truck, $200.
One Studebaker delivery truck, $250.
See them at
PHELAN GARAGE
Phone 517. Mono St. and Van Ness Boulevard.

REBUILT second-hand Fords—Guaranteed first class.
J. C. PHELAN,
Phone 517. Mono St. and Van Ness Boulevard.

GASOLINE, 11½c. Phelan's new garage.

WANTED—Small touring car. Will pay cash for good one. Phone 213.

FOR SALE—One 1915 3-speed electrical equipped Harley-Davidson Motorcycle, in first-class condition. Very reasonable to the party who calls first. Apply to P. O. Box 254, Los Banos, Cal.

GOOD bargains in second-hand motorcycles. Ray & Wood, 851 I St.

ALL kinds of used cars on sale. Call or write Studebaker Agency, 1402 Fres.

NEW Reo for sale; never run; will take Ford as part payment. Phone 4059.

FOR SALE—Fully equipped twin Harley-Davidson motorcycle, light and speedometer, model 1914, good as new, cheap. Apply 231 Oleander Ave. Telephone 2539-W.

FRESNO AUTO WRECKING CO. pays best cash prices for any discarded machines. Any parts for your machine for sale cheap. 560 Eye St.

$155—SMALL garage outfit. One lathe, one drill press, one emery wheel. Just the thing for country shop. For sale at Fresno Repair Garage, 846 Eye Street.

1916 INDIAN motorcycle, with powerplus motors, on here. Place your order now for future delivery.
HERTWECK & WEILHEIMER,
2028 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE—1914 two-speed Harley-Davidson, fully equipped, perfect condition. In rear 2320 Merced.

AUTO tops recovered with good "Mohair," $9 to $20. New Auto Trimming Shop, 2116 Kern. Phone 4021.

AUTO LAC—Will restore your car like new. Call "J" and Tuolumne.

HAVE buyer for Hupmobile. No Commission Auto Market, corner M and Fresno Streets.

WE have more buyers than we have cars. Bring us your car if you want it sold. No Commission Auto Market.

NOTICE TO FORD OWNERS.

Harry Bonds has opened an exclusive Ford repair shop at 655 Eye Street where he will be pleased to meet his old as well as new customers. Phone 513.

ONE type "L" Locomobile, cheap; make good light truck. Inquire 267 San Pablo Avenue.

PEOPLE'S AUTO EXCHANGE
730 K St.
Will sell or exchange your automobile. We also do repairing.

BARGAINS IN USED CARS

Buick truck, Pierce Arrow delivery wagon, Studebaker touring car, Loco. $0. See them at Waterman Bros., L and Tulare Sts., Fresno.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

COLONIAL Dancing Academy, Eye St., between Tulare and Kern. Private lessons every afternoon and evening. Phone 1165 and 2156.

SPANISH lessons, private instruction, Voorman avenue, opposite Dickey playground field house.

COLONIAL Dancing Academy, Eye St., between Tulare and Kern. Private lessons every afternoon and evening. Phones 116 and 2156.

DR. A. A. BROWN, Dentist. Associated with Dr. B. W. Doyle. Analgesia a specialty. 315 Griffith-McKenzie Bldg., Fresno, California. Residence Phone 4237-W. Office Phone 628.

NOTARY PUBLIC — Deeds, mortgages, contracts prepared. C. K. Wakefield, 1152 J St. Phone 55.

GEO. E. H. SATCHELL, certified public accountant. 308 Rowell Bldg. Main 522.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Fresno County, California, duly made and entered in its minutes on the 8th day of October, 1915, notice is hereby given that said board will receive, up to 2:00 o'clock P. M. of November 1st, 1915, sealed proposals for the construction of four concrete retaining walls for the concrete bridge across Kings River near Sanger.

Said walls are to be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications therefor on file and of record in the office of the Clerk of said board.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable to the Chairman of said board, as a guaranty that the successful bidder will, within ten days after the acceptance of his bid, enter into a contract with said Fresno County, through its Board of Supervisors, for the construction of said walls, and furnish sufficient surety bonds as prescribed by law and the rules of this board, conditioned upon the faithful performance of said contract.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

D. M. CRAINWELL,
(Seal) County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of said Board.
By J. R. SCHAEFFER,
Deputy Clerk.

FOR RENT—Houses

FOR RENT—5-room house partly furnished, $12. Inquire 227 Oleander Ave.

FOR RENT—A four room furnished house, all conveniences. Phone 360 or 760 Olive Av.

7 ROOM cottage, water and gas, lights and lawn; close in, only $20. Phone 3444.

FOR RENT—5-room furnished house, $20. Phone 1735.

4-ROOM house, 110 Elm and California Aves., $10 per month; one acre ground. Telephone 2067-L. W. Sherwood, R. R. 2, Box 3.

FOR RENT—On Fresno Ave., at $11 per month, cool house, large grounds, orchard, shed, corral. Inquire 2351 Thomas.

ALMOST NEW, modern two-room bungalow, fence, lawn, garage. Water paid, $12.50. Phone 848-J. 3259 McKenzie.

FOR RENT—Six-room bungalow, 640 Jensen. Phone 8315, R 3, or 431 San Pablo.

FOR RENT—Finely located two-story brick house, only 3 blocks from court house. 1133 P street. Phone 255-J.

FOR RENT—7-room modern unfurnished house in excellent location; rent reasonable. Apply Levy Bros., 1933 Fresno St.

MODERN five room house with garage. 1527 Eye.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage, large lawn, good back yard, one block car line. Phone 1969.

CLOSE IN—Five-room modern cottage. Sleeping porch. 115 Glenn avenue.

FOUR room furnished cottage. 1630 Blackstone Ave.

FOR RENT OR SALE — Five room bungalow. Inquire 2243 Thomas Ave.

SIX room house with sleeping porch. Also five room cottage. Phone 2146.

FOR RENT—6-room unfurnished flat with all modern conveniences in A1 location. Apply Levy Bros., 1933 Fresno St.

AN opportunity to own your own home. Don't overlook it. We are building some substantial and attractive homes and our terms will be made to suit you. Come quick. Fresno Home Builders, 1231 Eye St.

UNFURNISHED two-story, six-room house with sleeping porch, garage. Apply 1822 I.

LARGE unfurnished cottage, corner Washington avenue and First street; good yard and garage, $26.50, worth $30. Five rooms, sleeping porch, also furnished front housekeeping room on Tulare. Bartlett, 3130 Tulare.

FOR RENT—6-Room modern house, 544 Van Ness. Inquire of R. F. Chapman, at Hollands' grocery.

6-ROOM house, two blocks from city hall; gas and electricity; rent reasonable. Apply 1456 I St.

FOUR-room furnished house with bath, screen porch, 1361 Belmont, $20. Phone Mrs. Corner, 1708 after 1 p. m.

$24 M ST., 5-room house, modern conveniences, large yard, $25 per month including water. Apply 1559 Eye St.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, 9 rooms, sleeping porch, garage, large yard; desirable. Telephone 4.

MODERN five room house with garage. 1527 Eye.

FIVE-ROOM cottage, 2622 Mariposa St.; water paid. Phone 2627-W.

FOR RENT, $15 per month—5-Room bungalow, corner Clay and Casa Blanca. See J. C. Phelan. Phone 394.

CHOICELY furnished homes, three rooms, $12.50 to $20; four, five and six rooms, $27.50 to $35 on Tulare St. Apply to A. Bartlett, 3120 Tulare. Car to U Street.

6-ROOM bungalow, garage, four blocks from business part of town. Call 1033 Eye Street, Room 14.

FOR RENT—Good four room cottage, close in, newly painted. In rear 2530 Fresno St. Inquire at 2540 Fresno.

ATTENTION, LANDLORDS

We have a number of good tenants on our renting list. Call and list your vacancy, house with us. Wells Realty Co., 2034 Tulare St., Republican Bldg.

TWO MODERN cottages for rent. Phone 11.

FOR RENT, cheap—Four houses and small house in rear. 162 Valeria.

12-ROOM residence, close in; can be used as apartments or single rooms. Apply 622 I St.

ROOMS AND BOARD

WANTED—Places for young ladies to assist for room and board. After school and on Saturdays, while attending business college. Address Healds Business College, Phone 271.

PLEASANT room and excellent board. Table boarders. 1006 N St. Mrs. H. W. Reynolds.

WELL furnished front room with board for two. Four blocks out. 1550 I.

NICELY furnished rooms, connected with bath, running water, heat and good board. 1729 Kay.

NICE room, running water, steam heat, with board. 1439 L.

GOOD room and board, close in. 1633 J St.

COOL rooms with board, reasonable. The Winegar, 1316 J St.

COMFORTABLE rooms with board; also table board, at the Palms, 1562 J.

LOST

LOST—Between Palm and Clinton in Normal district, an open face, filled case watch; well worn; made in Aurora, Ill., for E. Bertram. Finder will receive reward by returning to this office or Phone 8244-J-1-2.

LOST—Airedale puppy, with collar on; had neck cut with rope. Finder phone 696 or 2225-J.

LOST—$125 check, endorsed by T. P. Panagos, on San Francisco Bank. Notify Wm. Peehares, 1232 F St.

LOST—A brown Spaniel between Prairie school and Cupola barns. Notify Herbert Goode, Fowler, and receive reward.

LOST—White Persian cat. Return to 1521 K St.

LOST—Shepherd dog, tan, with white ring around neck; answers to name of "Shep." Phone 9F11, Selma, or notify H. C. Sweeney, Selma. Reward.

BLACK dog, part Airdale, tan feet and muzzle, bobbed tail; lost at Fair grounds Friday night. "Pat" engraved on collar. Family pet. Reward. Phone 1351-J.

LOST—Black and white handbag, containing nearly $10 in gold and silver, tooth paste, etc. Reward if returned to Republican office, or Mrs. W. C. Ryle, De. Rey.

BETWEEN Sanger and Cupola barns, dealer's state license number Q 20. Phone or write, E. W. Johnson, 1228 K Street. Phone 208.

LOST—In North Fresno, cameo brooch. Finder please return to 1357 Glenn Ave. or Republican business office.

FOUND

FOUND—Purse containing money. Describe purse and contents. Address P. O. Box 626.

Musical Instructors

NOTARY PUBLIC — Deeds, mortgages, contracts prepared. C. K. Wakefield, 1152 J St. Phone 55.

PIANO lessons to beginners, 35c per hour. Phone 1456-J or call 1361 Q.

MRS. ADOLPH SCHUBERT, piano, German song coaching; German. 529 Voorman. Phone 422-W.

UKULELE instructions in class or private. Phone 3551-J.

S. L. POLITO, mandolin, banjo, ukulele and guitar; agent for the Gibson instruments. 1051 Roosevelt St. Phone 3551-J.

ZOE N. GLASGOW, voice, piano. Studio 233 Van Ness Ave. Phone 909-J.

LEARN violin, mandolin, guitar by an experienced teacher. S. Samelsen, 140 Wagner Ave. Phone 1651-L.

MADAM E. STODDARD, late of Europe, Voice, piano and French. 1245 Van Ness Ave. Phone 2982-J.

FOR RENT—Rooms

FURNISHED two room apartment with sleeping porch, no children. 715 M.

FOUR room furnished cozy modern apartment. Suitable for four people. 2112 Stanislaus.

HOTEL VERNON, 1129 Jay St., large sunny room, running water, reasonable, with reading room.

FOR RENT—Two housekeeping rooms, clean and close in. 720 M St.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, lights furnished and use of phone. 1021 Q St.

NICE front room in private family, every convenience. 2520 Merced. Phone 3072-J.

NEAT, clean furnished apartments and sleeping rooms; also garage. 1024 N st.

MODERN front room, neatly furnished, $360; also two unfurnished rooms, $5 00. 2803 Grant avenue. Phone 21-F-3.

SINGLE room, furnished for housekeeping. Gas, water; light furnished. 1329 L street.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

Tract of low-priced land in San Joaquin Valley, in exchange for the following fine Los Angeles city property, viz: Southeast corner Second and Flower streets, lot 8dx120, improved with two five story brick apartment houses, completely furnished, showing good income. Value $200,000; mortgage $60,000. Owners of land address:

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1230 Marsh-Strong Bldg.,
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LARGE sunny housekeeping room; gas range; also room suitable for two gentlemen; two beds. 1189 Jay St.

FURNISHED 3-room housekeeping suite with use of phone. 844 K St.

THREE furnished housekeeping apartments. 230 Blackstone.

THREE nice front housekeeping rooms with kitchenette and bath. Half block from court house park. Apply 2320 Merced St.

TWO most desirable furnished housekeeping rooms; adults. Phone 3614.

LARGE, clean furnished rooms; modern private home, $2.50 a week. 857 S.

FURNISHED housekeeping apartments. 1128 I street.

FURNISHED—Housekeeping apartments in rear; suitable for men batching. Also Garage. 454 J.

FOR RENT—Two nice apartments. Apply 1006 Q St.

TWO clean housekeeping rooms; heating stove, running water, telephone. No children. 1030 O St.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms with bath, sleeping porch and phone. 1359 R St.

FURNISHED two room apartment. 1421 J street.

AN excellent room and winter sleeping porch, in private family. Phone 2345.

MODERN 3-room housekeeping apartment; 3 beds; 2 entrances; sleeping porch. 1026 N.

NICE clean rooms at 816 M St. Cheap to steady roomers.

FURNISHED housekeeping room with sleeping porch; modern. 536 Blackstone.

ROOMS—50c day; week, $2.50. All outside rooms; cold and hot water. 937 I St. Phone 128.

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms; also place for auto. 945 N St.

FOR RENT—Four rooms furnished complete for housekeeping. 311 Howard St.

BOSTON APARTMENTS — Furnished apartments, close in. 944 "O" Street.

FURNISHED apartment. 1220 O St.

LIGHTOWLER APTS., completely furnished 2-room apt. Also single room. 2330 Inyo.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished apartment with steam heat, private bath. Noble Bros. Co., Forsyth Bldg. Phone 4.

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms. 3047 Inyo St.

FURNISHED rooms at the Gables. 1435 Kay Street. Phone 4298 J.

FOR RENT—Front room, with use of phone, for gentlemen only. Apply 641 K St.

LARGE sunny winter room, with bath. Phone 2464. 1736 J.

1 NICE ROOM for gentleman, all conveniences, John bath. 204 Jensen Ave.

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NEW, clean, cool single rooms, 35c. Hotel Mayer, H and Kern Sts.

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Five acres, good house and barn; good location; 20 minutes walk from business center. Vines and alfalfa. Phone 3361. A. L. Baer.

WILL lease my vineyard, mostly Emperors and Thompsons. Want man of experience and some means; fine income. R. F. D. 67, Exeter Cal.

NORMAN HOTEL, 727 I St. Open now. Traves Block. Under new management; neat and clean. Rooms by week or month.

FOR RENT—Large stores, with basements, $50 per month. Mayer Bldg., H and Kern Sts.

OFFICE room with storage; any size space. Fresno Transfer & Storage Warehouse, 1908 Merced.

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Open for engagement by lodges or societies, or for occasional meetings of any kind.

For rates, apply at Fresno Republican business office, corner K and Tulare streets.

OFFICES FOR RENT

Central location, opposite the postoffice. Inquire at Fresno Republican business office, corner K and Tulare Sts.

NICELY furnished pleasant housekeeping room; place for auto. 1313 O St.

FOR RENT—Flats

NEW furniture of 4-room flat at great sacrifice. 1422 M St.

FOR RENT—Modern 4-room flat, unfurnished. 235 Blackstone.

4-ROOM modern apartment, unfurnished or furnished; no children. 361 Glenn. Phone 1056-W.

FOR RENT—A modern four-room and bath lower flat, unfurnished, close in. 804 M.

LOWER flat, modern in every respect, close in. Call 1617 J St.

FOR RENT—Lower flat of six rooms at 1456 K St. For information telephone 8212-J-2.

NEW upper flat, every convenience; steam heat furnished with flat. 126 Van Ness.

FOR RENT—At Coast

ROOMS for fair guests, 50 cents each; three blocks from grounds. Mrs. Ostrander, 2817 Broderick St., San Francisco.

MISCELLANEOUS

REV. DR. ALLEN (ordained), spiritual minister. Spiritual advice daily. 1220 O St. Phone 8096-J.

PRIVATE maternity home, 201 Effie. Charges $25 per week; everything furnished. Phone 1485.

SALEM FAITH HOME—An undenominational home for girls and women in distress. Open for shelter and uplifting for everyone desiring help. Phone 4231. Address 2503 Harvey Ave., cor. Fresno Ave.

CHILDREN, abused, abandoned, neglected, received and placed for adoption in selected family homes. Full legal control. Return if not satisfactory. Children's Home Society of California. Miss Rebecca Goble, Dist. Supt., 1247 M St. Phone 3148.

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Young man as timekeeper who can drive automobile. Address W. J., Box 17, Republican.

YOUNG man to solicit for Hudson's Divided Skillet Roaster, the great gas saver. See Beck & Knox between 11:30 and 2 p. m., 474 J St.

WANTED—Neat man and wife to care for country place, and serve table. Give references. "R," Box 27, Republican.

WANTED—Boy with wheel, at Herman the Great Tailor, 1046 J street.

SAN JOAQUIN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 2221 Tulare.

One teamster, $1.50, board; 3 men clean ditches, $1.50, board, 2 cooks, $40, $45, board; 6 men quarry, $2.25; 1 lady cook, call 10 a. m., $15 month; 1 waitress, town, $8 week, 2 girls, general housework, $20, $25. 1 Russian or Swedish gull, laundress, $25 and room. Other jobs.

WANTED—Reliable party with $100 and service to manage Fresno and Madera counties for essential auto accessory. No competition. Big demand. Pays over $250 a month. Income from start. Inquire factory manager, Rm. 235, Hotel Sequoia.

WANTED—Competent working foreman for vineyard and orchard; must understand pruning; married man preferred. State salary. J. T., Box 11, Republican.

WANTED—Man to locate 160 acres of land in partnership with me. A. Wetzel, 747 Central Ave. Phone 3593-W.

FURNISHED room, with bath, $1.50 per week. 2438 Mono St.

WANTED—A good live man that knows city, with small car, for laundry route on commission. Will give route to start with. Sanitary Laundry.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; small wages while learning. Call or write. Briscoe Barber College, 1453 Kern street, Fresno, or 706 Howard street, San Francisco.

UNION carpenters stay away from Caruthers. Job unfair.

—WANTED—

Experienced bicycle repairman; none other need reply. Steady position to right party.

Address—M. HARRIS,
C-o Pioneer Mercantile Co.,
Bakersfield, Cal.

WANTED—First class grocery salesman; capable of handling Russian, German trade. Reply giving references to P. O. Box 1281.

WANTED—Bookkeeper. Apply in own handwriting, give age, experience and references; married man preferred; salary $100 per month. "Bookkeeper," Box 39, Republican.

WRITE Y. M. C. A. Auto School, Los Angeles, Catalog free.

PAINTERS wanted. Get next, mix it yourself. It wears longer, covers more and works freer with less wear on brushes than pure lead. For rough walls, roofs, fences, etc., it cannot be beat. Try a sample for a gallon free. Ten

REAL ESTATE—City

ONE acre alfalfa, fenced with 6-foot chicken wire fencing, house, barn and chicken houses for $1800; $500 down; on main county road.

½ Acre, all kinds of fruit, alfalfa, house, chicken house, pumping plant, $1800. Want to trade for house to $2000 or sell for part cash.

SMITH & CONNELLY. Phone 608.

MORGA ACRES

We have only a few acres left in the whole tract. They are just one block from the car line, just north of the Normal school. Each acre has nine full sized city lots. Prices from $550 to $700. Terms $25 cash, $50 Cash. $50 Cash.

Good 5-room bungalow in the north end Has every modern convenience. One block from new school and car line. Terms of $30 cash and the balance $25 per month.

We have an eight room house on Forth-eamp, south of Belmont avenue. Lot 50 ft. x 160 ft. Modern with every convenience. Paved street, cement curbs and sidewalks. The best buy in Fresno at $5000. Easy terms if desired.

F. M. CHITTENDEN & CO.
2007 Mariposa. Phone 5.

LOOK THIS OVER!

5-Room bungalow with sleeping porch on Fresno paved street. All latest built-in effects; extra fancy buffet, cabinet kitchen. Snap for $2700; $300 down, balance to suit.

See Reiss, with
HUGHSON-EULESS CO.
Room 14, Republican Bldg. Phone 1297.

OFFICE man—a fine 1 acre; electricity, water, sidewalks and car line—the place for chickens, rabbits and garden. Easy payments. Phone 268. Ask for Raymond.

MAKE CASH OFFER!

For six fine lots, four blocks from Normal. Good homesites and fine investment. Phone 971.

NICE new bungalow, two lots, close to Normal school; $1200; $15 down, $15 a month.

GUY STOCKTON
Phone 969. 1301 "I" St., Cor. Merced.

CORNER 2½ acres on car line; $800; $15 down, $15 a month, which includes interest.

GUY STOCKTON
Phone 969. 1301 "I" St., Cor. Merced.

LOTS near car line, east or west frontage, $175; $1 down, $1 week; no interest, no taxes.

GUY STOCKTON
Phone 969. 1301 "I" St., Cor. Merced.

¼ ACRE lots close to town, on car line, $575; $15 down, $15 a month.

GUY STOCKTON
Phone 969. 1301 "I" St., Cor. Merced.

ONE acre of land north of Normal school and close to car line. I will sell on very easy terms. J. B. Guinn. Phone 2952.

BARGAIN IF SOLD BEFORE OCT. 20th 4-Room bungalow, completely furnished, all ready to move into; about 80 chickens, houses and corrals; assorted berries, fruit trees and flowers; 4 blocks west of Normal school. Third house on west side of Melvin Ave. See owner.

WE CAN sell you a home on very easy terms. We have many to choose from. Phone 854 for auto date.

FRESNO REALTY & CONSTRUCTION
933 K St. CO. Phone 354.

IDEAL POULTRY LOCATION—An acre lot with all modern conveniences—electricity, telephone, water under pressure, sidewalks; close to school. Reduce living expenses and make money by raising poultry. Located on northeast corner of block, one block from car and Van Ness Boulevard; $700; easy terms. J. M. Hacock, 312 Cory Bldg. Phone 268 days or 4255 evenings.

AEROPLANE BUNGALOW

5-Room modern bungalow, near car line; large sleeping porch upstairs; fireplace, built-in bed, modern in every respect. Price $2850; terms $300 and $30 per month.

FRESNO REALTY & CONSTRUCTION
933 K St. CO. Phone 354.

CLASSY HOME

5-Room modern bungalow on large lots near school and car line. This is in good neighborhood; fireplace, concrete porch, cement walks and curbs. Price $2750; terms $100 cash, $25.50 per mo.

FRESNO REALTY & CONSTRUCTION
933 K St. CO. Phone 354.

MODERN HOME

6-Room cement house on large lots, 60x120, near car line and school. This place is a bargain at $2500; terms easy. Will take lots as first payment.

FRESNO REALTY & CONSTRUCTION
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SACRIFICE—$550, easy terms. Large improved acre lot near car line, with cement walks, water, electricity and telephone connections in. Phone H. Jaller, 1718 after 6:30 p. m. or address 1319 Jay St.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Semi-business corner lot, 100x100. Good location.

CARNINE-SAUNDERS CORP.
1924 Fresno St. Phone 3456.

ACRE LOT, four room house, barn, water right; $1250; good terms.

Dandy cottage, all modern, five rooms, all conveniences, 1½ lots, Effie street. Only $2250.

Three rooms, two lots, walks, curbs, water, electricity; only $1100; $100 down, $20 month. (Glenn Avenue.)

$100 Cash, $25 monthly, almost new bungalow, five rooms, sleeping porch, all modern, fine lawn, walks, all city conveniences.

$20 Down, $7 Per Month

No interest, no taxes for three years; lot 50x138 with city water, cement walks, curbs, graded street. This is in Cedar Park, adjoining Hazelwood.

Acre in alfalfa, east of town, close to car line; fine deep soil; water; small payments.

$25 Down, $25 month, modern five room house on Thomas; all city conveniences.

EWING-McDANIEL AND MEUX

SNAP—$800 for nine (9) 40 ft. lots—on Normal school way—high class improvements such as cement walks, water under pressure, electric lights and phone—near car line. Terms to suit. Address J. C., Box 30, Republican.

ONE corner acre, street car service. Something good; easy terms.

Dandy Buy

5-Room house, 1490 Englewood. If you want something good, in city lots or houses, see

G. H. Dieker, with
J. E. WRIGHT
201 Rowell Bldg. Phone 2536.

FOR SALE—Small cottage, $1200; half cash; lot 50x150. Tenth and Inyo Sts.

AN EQUITY in 5-room bungalow, sleeping porch, built-in effects, near good school, between two car lines. Phone 2177-Y.

EAST TERM BARGAINS

$2500—New and modern bungalow, two lots, $150 cash, balance like rent.

$3000—5-room furnished bungalow, north part of town, $150 cash.

See us for bargains, we have them.
KIRK & STONE
Phone 429. 1943 Fresno Street.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE!

Fancy 5-room bungalow with fireplace and large composite porch. Pebble dash finish, sleeping porch, bricked cellar; two lots and close to car line. All for $2500; $100 down, balance like rent.

See Reiss, with
HUGHSON-EULESS CO.
Room 14, Republican Bldg. Phone 1297.

CITY lots, near Normal school, $2.50 cash, $2.50 a month; $250 each.

Two lots nicely located, $500; $1 cash, $1 a week; in vines.

Five corner lots on Wishon car line; very easy payments, or will exchange. One acre lots, Fairview Place; ½ acre and acre lots, $325 up; $10 cash, $10 a month; one block of car, facing Van Ness Boulevard.

For bargains, see
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO.

$550 BUYS a whole acre with all modern improvements—on Van Ness Boulevard and car line. Raise your own chickens and vegetables and save living expenses. Street car enables you to work in town and live in suburban home. You must see this to appreciate its value. Easy terms arranged. S. W. Brown, 312 Cory Bldg., or phone 268.

A REAL SNAP

The most magnificent residence in north Fresno, only one block west of Normal school; just completed. Apply A. Nicholson, builder and owner. Phone 1972-Y.

REAL ESTATE—City

THESE ARE SNAPS IF TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF AT ONCE.

1 House and 1½ lots, Kleinburg. $2,250
2 Lots in Bartlett Heights $1,000
4 Lots in Kearney Heights $1,000
2 Lots in Palm Heights $600
4 Lots in South Fresno $4,000

See J. C. PHELAN, Corner Mono and Van Ness Boulevard. Phone 571.

TWO fine corner lots at 9th St. and Nevada, with cottage 24x24 not finished. Will sell as it stands for $675; $25 down and $10 per month including interest. This is certainly a good opportunity for a man with small means. Find the owner by addressing B. B., Box 46, Republican.

FOR $25 down and $10 per month I will sell you an acre which is located on car line. This is a bargain. Phone 2952.

CASH offers wanted on 3 lots and old house, 172 Wagner Ave. Geo. H. Andrews, Public Administrator.

FOR SALE—A big bargain. Tulare St. income business property; long time without payment down. For particulars address Owner, R. R. 3, Box 122.

HOUSE, barn, chicken house, fine shade, 3 lots, cement sidewalk, good location; $1350; $200 cash, $20 per month. Good house on White Ave., $1500.

House and 3 lots, corner, $1350; $100 cash. Two fine residences in 1400 block on 31 St. $9500; terms.

House and 2 lots on Illinois St., fine yard; $2000.

Modern bungalow, close to car line, $1500; $600 cash.

CHAS. ERICKSON
405 Griffith-McKenzie Bldg.

5-ROOM modern bungalow; small cash payment, balance like rent. 1021 Echo.

A SNAP—5-room new bungalow, north part of town. Worth $3000. Price $2400. $200 cash, balance easy. Stebbins & Co., 1913 Fresno St.

YOU can buy a new house and half-acre for $775, $50 down and $12 per month, including interest. For particulars call A. G. Frisbie Co., Phone 1.

SACRIFICE SALE!

Good 4-room bungalow and two lots for $1000; $25 down, $15 per month including interest at 7 per cent. You can't beat it.

See Reiss, with
HUGHSON-EULESS CO.
Room 14, Republican Bldg. Phone 1297.

AN IDEAL ACRE—On car line, with water under pressure, sidewalks, electricity and telephones; 20 minutes from S. P. station. Cannot be equaled for a suburban home or chicken ranch. Will sell on very easy terms. Address J. E. Regan, 311 Cory Bldg., or phone 2028-W evenings.

BUY OF OWNER. Two-story, eight-room home, north part of town, latest built-in effects, sleeping porch, etc.; two full lots. If you want a fine home below cost, call up Phone 410.

FOR SALE—Six room cottage with beautiful sun room; also sleeping porch. A bargain. Party leaving town. 525 Van Ness Ave.

FOR SALE—5-room house with screen porch, gas, electricity, city water and bath; only six blocks from court house; $100 cash, balance $15 month including interest. Apply 2012 Alice St. or phone 2844-W.

LEVY BROS.

Modern and up-to-date bungalow, half block to Olive car line, in splendid neighborhood. Price $3800. Terms $300 cash.

New bungalow, two corner lots. A big bargain. Price $2650; easy terms.

LEVY BROS.
"Always At It"
Real Estate. Insurance. Loans.
1933 Fresno St. Phone 240.

$1500—5-room house, north part, lots 50 x140; three blocks to car line; $50 cash and $15 per month including interest.

G. A. GARRETT
1920 Fresno St. Phone 2304

FOR the family that is tired of a city lot, let me show you an ideal acre on car line—water, electricity, sidewalks and street car. Easy payments. Phone 8339-J-1 evenings.

VENTURA VISTA ESTATE

Why not buy lots in this highly restricted residential district, within easy walking distance of the city. Excellent terms. Assistance given to right parties to build homes.

SHEPHERD-COCHRANE COMPANY
Phone 256.
Fresno National Bank Building.

FOR SALE—Two choice lots. Inquire 2036 Fresno avenue.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED HOUSES

And Bungalows for sale or exchange. Terms better than rent.

See Fahr,
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO.

OAKWOOD
Lots $150 and $175 Each
$1.00 a Week
No interest; no taxes.

One block from Wishon Ave. car line, near Normal school.

L. W. KLEIN
Room 616, Griffith-McKenzie Building.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a modern ten room residence, cement, near city limits. Address R. F. S., Box 9, Republican.

ACRE FOR POULTRY

For Sale—On Van Ness Boulevard and car line, 20 minutes from court house. Water under pressure for domestic and irrigation use. Electric lights, telephones, cement sidewalks. School one block. Small payment down, balance quarterly. A bargain for $700. Will show with my machine, B. A. Freer, 312 Cory Bldg., or Phone 268 days or 2991-L evenings.

A PROPOSITION THAT WILL APPEAL TO THE INVESTOR

Who looks ahead a short ways, buys right, holds a short time and then "cleans up."

We have a two-story brick house, with eight or nine rooms, located within three blocks of the court house, ½ block to the car line, near schools, churches, etc., on two full lots, that can be bought for $5500.

Did you ever hear tell of the like? Notice the price again, $5500. Now, we want to give all a chance at this, but we have only a short option (and can positively deliver it) at this figure. Need not be all cash.

PIERCE & ANDERSON
"Real Estate and Loans"
1152 J Street. Phone 55.

TWO 4-room houses, $6 each, 260-264 Grace St., Darling addition.

NEW bungalow, absolutely modern, $2350; only $100 cash, balance like small rent.

R. S. THOMPSON CO.
1149 J Street. Phone 169.

WHY PAY RENT?

A 5-room brand new bungalow, screen porch, close in, north part. Pay us $50 and move in, balance like rent. We have other good ones. Come and see us.

O. W. DAVIS REALTY CO.
228 Cory Building.

OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE TIME

A dandy new furnished bungalow, 2½ lots, six dozen chickens, houses and corrals, shade, fruit and assorted berries; near car line and Normal school. A little cash, a little a month. Price $1500.

Large 7-room bungalow, 3 lots, garage; $25 cash, $25 a month.

Large 6-room house, $2500; on car line; $20 cash, $20 a month.

H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO.

CORNER Forthcamp and Dudley, 5-room modern bungalow, garage, lot 83½x100, $4500; agreeable terms. Phone 2813. P. O. Box 378.

$4000 PLACE FOR $2100

New, modern bungalow, 7 rooms, close in, small payment down, $25 a month. See Fahr, with
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO.

REAL ESTATE—Country

FOR SALE—Equity in fine 40, or trade, anything equal value. Phone 2226-J.

IF YOU want an improved ranch or tract of raw land, something good, see the right Mr. Wright.

J. E. WRIGHT, 201 Rowell Bldg.

REAL ESTATE—Country

40 ACRES sub-irrigated land, six miles east town. Will exchange for bungalow or clear property. Well located. Be in town only few days. Address Gen. Del., give phone number. S. M. Rogers.

I HAVE 2½ acres about two blocks from car line, which I will sell on easy terms. J. B. Guinn, 311 Cory Bldg.

FOR SALE OR RENT—320 acres in Auberry Valley, 125 acres cultivated, fenced, cross fenced, 70 acres summer fallow. Also 80 acres near Fort Miller, 20 cultivated, fenced, cross fenced, good buildings on both places. Owner, 151 Diana St.

ALFALFA LAND—2½s-4½s-10s

Best land, most reasonably priced in S. J. Valley. Only little down. Put your ready money into cows, hogs and improvements, no payments for three years; ten years' time. Pure location, inexhaustible water; no alkali. You can build up your dairy, pay for your land and live well. Let us explain.

Fine dairy, paying well, at a bargain. Let us list your property. We have large list of Santa Clara and coast properties for sale and exchange. Write or call.

BECKETT & CROTHERS
220 Rowell Bldg.,
San Jose and Fresno, Cal.

EXCEPTIONAL SNAP! 160 acres, Tulare Co. Alfalfa, improvements, worth $5000; only $75 per acre. No payment down, only interest in advance. Also 160 acres, fenced, $50 per acre, same terms. Raw land adjoining sold at $75 per acre up.

CALIFORNIA HOME & LAND CO.
1913 Mariposa St.

AM going east; will sacrifice my 2½ acres with house, pump, etc., on car line; $800; easy terms. M. O., Box 51, Republican.

FOR SALE BY OWNER.

40 Acres in fine locality, improved and in full bearing; about 18 acres Malaga vines, 16 Muscats, 4 alfalfa and 1 in peaches, balance yards and corrals, etc. Good buildings. May subdivide into 20 acre lots. Also 80 acre tract partly improved. Write M. P. A., Box 43, Republican.

DAIRY AND HOG RANCH FOR SALE. Five miles of Tracy on R. R. toward Concord; 122 acres; 30 alfalfa, 40 cleared, balance this fall. All irrigated, 41 can be irrigated. Expense 5c per acre per year. Price $27,500; mortgage $7,000 at 7 per cent can run indefinitely. House 28x32, four rooms and bath downstairs; one room finished on second floor; room for three more; two years old. Barn one year old. Hay, machinery, windmill, tank, chicken house; good water; fenced and cross fenced; hog tight; 5 horses, 4 work horses and ½-year-old colt; 3 sets double and single harness. All necessary farm implements and tools; 2 wagons, 1 buggy and cart, 1 binder, 1 mower, 1 rake, 36-inch harrow, 3 plows, 1 Fresno scraper, two 7-inch disc harrows, 1 walking plow, 1 cream separator, 15 cattle, 4 milch cows, 6 heifers coming fresh, two 2-year-old steers, 3 calves, 100 hogs and pigs, more or less, 3 disc gang plows. M. J. Dunnan, Merced.

200 ACRE vineyard and prune orchard; fine land; $65,000. Will take $10,000 cash and balance easy or will take foothill ranch or ranch on the coast as part or all. This is a money maker now and getting better all the time.

HUGH SPARKMAN
132 Edgerly Bldg.

40 ACRES, Temperance Colony district; 25 acres Muscats, Malagas and alfalfa; house, barn, nice shade and home; tools, team, trays and boxes; only $13,000; worth $16,000.

HUGH SPARKMAN
132 Edgerly Bldg.

40 ACRES; 25 acres alfalfa, 10 Muscats, 5 peaches, 5-room bungalow, barn, etc. Price $5500; $1000 cash, balance $500 a year.

HUGH SPARKMAN
132 Edgerly Bldg.

FOR SALE—40 acres, near Madera, $2600. Nine years' time, 6 per cent interest.

For Sale or Exchange—20 acres, good stand alfalfa, well located and clear. Will sell or exchange.

CARNINE-SAUNDERS CORP.
1924 Fresno St. Phone 3456.

26 ACRES improved; 10 acres vines, 5 acres trees and alfalfa, barn, well, trays and boxes. Half mile east of Kingsburg; $5000. Elmore W. Peterson, Box 360, Kingsburg.

20 ACRES. PRICE $650

Yes, sir, all cash; six acres leveled and checked, about eight miles from Fresno; small house, small barn; must be sold.

Good mountain ranch, well located, and at a bargain price; good house, barn, family orchard, etc.; 160 acres for only $3000. Pay $1000 cash, long time on balance.

See us for bargains.

MIKE O'LEARY & WHEELER
(The Men Upstairs). 1149 J Street.

A SNAP

28 acres Thompsons and Muscats, near Reedley; modern improvements; good income; $6850.

Yours for the bargains.

O. W. DAVIS REALTY CO.
228 Cory Building

SMALL, NEW COTTAGE

ON half-acre for $550, $50 down and $10 per month, including interest. Good location. Fine for chickens. A. G. Frisbie Co., 307 Rowell Bldg., Phone 1.

WANTED to sell 8 1-4 acres with Thompson seedless, grapes and other improvements. Worth $2500, price $1400. A. B. Tobey, Raisin City.

FOR SALE—On easy terms, an improved 10 or 20 acres; 20 acres improved to trade on payment on a good 40 acres. Apply 122 Poplar. Phone 1877 Y.

ALFALFA $12 IN THE FIELD

Can You Beat It?

At Chowchilla, 35 miles north of Fresno, on the state highway, we have thousands of acres of rich, level alfalfa land which we will sell you at $90 per acre and up on ten years' time at 6 per cent. Get busy and call or send for our illustrated booklet on "Dairy-land Farms."

W. R. BUSH & CO., Fresno, Calif

WANTED TO BUY

20 acres of Thompson or Muscat vines. We have a client with good city property for exchange as first payment. Also have client with some cash. If you have vines to sell, come and see us.

O. W. DAVIS REALTY CO.
Room 228, Cory Building

FOR SALE—By owner, 20 acres improved; 11 acres Muscat, 8 years old; 2½ acres Thompsons, 1 and 2 years old; 2½ acres apricots, 1 year old; 2½ acres alfalfa; all in good condition; house and barn, etc.; all fenced. Box 851, Selma, Calif.

200 ACRES near Clovis; good level land; pumping plant and ditch water. Priced to sell and with very easy terms. Can be divided.

JOHN DARLING, 1033 J St.

THIRTY acres; 9 alfalfa with Frankenias, 3½ acres vines, balance in drying fruit; 180 Wilson plums on ditch and driveways. Apply owner for terms. S. R. Crawford, Fowler, R. R. 1, Box 127. Fowler Independent Phone 5611.

SEE CHAPPELL'S EASY RANCH PROPOSITIONS

I have everything from 1½ acres to 500 acres in fine improved places. Terms on some one-tenth cash and one-tenth per year and interest at 5 per cent payable annually.

Ask me about that 40 in Thompsons and figs, $1600 cash, nothing more till Dec., 1917, then interest only. Would take good clear Fresno city property up to $5000 first payment.

W. L. CHAPPELL
1933 Mariposa St. Fire Insurance.

FOR RENT—Ten sections of grain land, Fresno county, in tracts to suit. Apply to M. W. Muller, 315 Forsyth Bldg.

FINE FOR FRUIT

Have 40 acres near Clovis, clear. Price $125 per acre. Will trade for city property, vacant or improved, and assume small mortgage. A. G. Frisbie Co., 307 Rowell Bldg.

40 ACRES, 7¼ miles southwest of Fresno; 27 acres Thompson seedless and Muscat vines; 2 acres alfalfa; family orchard; balance raw; good water right. Price $3,500, mortgage $2,500, payable in two years, 7 per cent interest. Terms. See owner, 1040½ H St. Fresno.

FOR SALE—160 acres; 50 acres in alfalfa, 90 acres in corn; plenty of water; all under irrigation; farming implements; span of horses; 100 head of hogs. Price $165 per acre. Write or call. Henry Cole, 704 F St., Portersville, Calif.

REAL ESTATE—Country

FOR SALE—To the highest bidder above $1200 cash, the amount over $1200 cash can be either time or cash, cash being considered a better bid than time money. Five per cent commission to agents, or 5 per cent deducted to private party where there is no agent's fee. North 20 acres, of good cultivatable land of my 40 acres; situated N.W.¼ of N.E.¼ of Sec. 33, Twp. 13, Range 24, three miles north of Clark's Valley school, M. D., Fresno Co., in the famous orange belt where land sells for $125 per acre and up. I have plenty of water developed and guarantee a flow of over two hundred gallons per minute with water right on the well first ten days of every month, for your own use. Bids to close Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1915. T. B. Hess, Wahtoke, Cal.

$1100 EQUITY in 4-room bungalow, north part, for Ford or lots and cash. Phone 4233-J.

DAIRY RANCH

40 Acres; 25 acres alfalfa, 7-room house, dairy barn, house, barn, outbuildings. At water right. Price $5000; $1500 cash. A. E. Chartrand, 2021 McKenzie. Phone 3584-J.

TWENTY acres; twelve acres vines and eight alfalfa; no buildings. Sell or trade for city property. Corner Valentine and Manning Aves. A. J. Medeiros.

WANTED—10 ACRES; NO TRADE.

We can place two good 10 acre ranches; must be good, either raw land or planted to alfalfa. One must be near Fresno, the other one near Dinuba or Reedley.

For Sale—Good bargain near Fresno, 20 acres with cows. Come and see this 20 acres. We are honest and fair, we do exactly as we agree.

MIKE O'LEARY & WHEELER
(The Men Upstairs). 1149 J Street.

A MOUNTAIN RANCH AT HALF PRICE.

320 Acres near Dunlap; 60 acres tillable land, several springs, enough oak timber to pay for the ranch; just off the Sand Creek road. This is certainly some bargain at $8 per acre, $600 cash, balance easy terms.

WELLS REALTY CO.
2034 Tulare St.

FOR SALE—$1500 equity in 18 acre place one mile from Fellra; peaches, Thompsons, family orchard, buildings. Will consider exchange for clear property. Owner, Route 4, Box 173, Selma.

FOR SALE—The south half of Sec. 36, Tp. 16 S., R. 16 E., 320 acres in the artesian belt, $12 per acre, 1-3 cash. In Sec. 20, Tp. 21 S., R. 18 E., 480 acres in the new olive country, fine deep soil, best adapted for Thompson seedless, plenty of water, $32.50 per acre, ¼ cash. For particulars address The L. D. Nathan Company, 1241 Flood Bldg., San Francisco.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

$150 FOR COWS

Partner with cows, big income. Call at once. See B. E. Owens, 426 K St. Hear all; cost nothing. Phone 1971-L.

WANTED to buy wine grapes on the vines, $7 per ton. 1301 Fresno St. Phone 1484.

WANTED—Dressmaking by Mrs. Tribble, 2012 Alice St.

DOES anyone know or have seen my uncle by the name of DeWitt Walker? Please write to Mrs. Bertha Walker Dea, R. R. 3, Williamsport, Ind.

WANTED—Small auto truck with solid tires. Must be in good condition and cheap. Address B. L., Box 15, Republican.

WANTED—To buy good second-hand pool table, on monthly installments. Address L. K., Box 4, Republican.

OWNER of automobile, man or woman, having spare time and acquainted with residents of Fresno and surrounding towns, may find profitable employment. Arrange by letter for interview. W., Box 20, Republican.

TO SHARE our home with young married couple, cheap. Phone 1376-W.

ON Belmont Ave. in Arlington Heights, man's gray coat "U. P. E. C." pin in lapel. Reward. M. Terra, Route 8, Box 14, Fresno.

WANTED to buy 50 or 100 tons of field pumpkins. W. F. Henderson, R. R. 1, Box 109 B. Phone 8218-R-11.

HAVE client with $1500 cash as first payment for 10 or 20 acres of good alfalfa. J. E. Wright, 201 Rowell Building.

WANTED—To hear direct from owner of good farm or unimproved land for sale. C. C. Buckingham, Houston, Texas.

WANTED — Second hand motorcycle; must be in good condition, at reasonable price. E. Malm, R. 3, Box 70, Fresno.

DAIRYMAN.

A dairyman with life-time experience and some capital, wishes to correspond or hear from some reliable persons, wishing the services of a man capable of taking charge of and developing a first class dairy.

Address: C. D. Gulick, Escondido, Cal., or care of Mr. J. F. Ewing,
EWING, M'DANIEL & MEUX,
Fresno, Cal.

WANTED!!! WANTED!!!
WANTED!!!

10 acres of alfalfa, must be good stand, within 8 or 10 miles from Fresno, with buildings. The land must be good, and buildings fair. Must be cheap.

Our client is a man with a nice cash payment but is particular about what he gets. Have you got a nice place, that shows up good, and that will prove first class?

Step in and list your place with us a few days and see what results can be had.

PIERCE & ANDERSON,
"Regular Real Estaters."
1152 J Street. Phone 55.

WANTED—Five-room cottage or bungalow, on easy terms or rent; steady tenant. Must be a bargain and for immediate occupancy. Address H. D. Agnew, 916 J street.

WANTED—A galvanized iron tank that has been used, but in good condition. Capacity from 1500 to 3000 gal. Box 247, Fowler.

WANTED—City and country, Fresno, for Long Beach income $14,000 to $18,000; full particulars first letter. J. F. Stoops, 626 Linden avenue, Long Beach, Cal.

FANCIES made from plumes, feather work of all kinds. 231 Effie. Tel. 962-J.

WANTED—To care for young infant or child under school age; good care, milk. Mrs. Edwards, R. R. 7, Box 142 D, or 3½ miles west of highway on Shields Ave.

WANTED—Ford car; must be in good condition and cheap for cash. 933 L St.

WANTED—Contracts for cement work of all kinds; reasonable prices; work guaranteed. David Moberg, Box 42, Republican.

PRIVATE classes for children, 3 to 7 years. Afternoon class hours, 1 to 4. Miss Wiseman, 1023 Sumner Ave.

WANTED—$1600 loan. Will give first mortgage on 6-R bungalow on large lot, North part of Fresno. Prefer to deal with private party. Address "H. Owner," Box 23, Republican.

WANTED—Hauling with big motor truck. 508 K St. Phone 2259 W, W. J. Andrews.

WANTED—Second-hand bicycle in good shape and reasonable. "Bicycle," Box 3, Republican.

WANTED—Work by man and wife, cooking; two small children. Call or write 4085 Illinois.

WANTED—8-room furnished house or flat for two adults; must be furnished complete and cheap; reference if required. Address R. Z., Box 21, Republican.

20 ACRES in alfalfa within 5 or 6 miles of Fresno; preferably south of town. Address P. O. Box 42, Fresno. Owners only.

IF YOU WANT to sell your furniture or stoves, call 3192. Pay right price.

FRESNO Junk Co. pays highest prices for rubbers, metals, sacks, hides, wool and skins. 625 Jay. Phone 2040.

ROSENBERG JUNK CO.—Always highest market prices for junk, hides, wool, old autos and machinery of any kind. Phone 262. 648 Eye St.

WANTED—Calves from one day up, extra price paid for heifers. Mrs. M. E. Johnson, corner Church and R. R. Aves. Phone 1762.

HIGHEST prices paid for all kinds of junk. 460 L. Phone 3917.

FOR EXCHANGE

40 ACRES; 10 acres figs, 10 alfalfa, balance peaches. Price $11,000. Submit Southern California.

30 acres near Fresno, $9,500. Submit 5 or 10 acres.

6-Room house in best part of Fresno for stock range.

FARNSWORTH & EDWARDS
2039 Mariposa ..... Phone 2391.

2½ ACRES divided into 24 lots, adjoining city limits on northeast. Has four room house with sleeping porch, garage, small barn and chicken lots. Will exchange for modern cottage or bungalow, close in. Will pay difference if any. Address D. E., Box 32, Republican.

160 ACRES at Fairmead; good buildings, electric pumping plant, large reservoir, part improved. Want city or 40 acres as first payment.

140 Acres river bottom silt loam; plenty of water; 40 acres in figs, 35 peaches, 45 raw land. Submit.

20 Acres of 5-year-old oranges. All clear. Something good. Submit.

J. E. WRIGHT, 201 Rowell Bldg

MOUNTAIN AND STOCK RANCH

500 Acres of extra fine mountain land, not far from Fresno, on good road; plenty of water, well fenced and cross fenced, fine large oak trees, large body of tillable land, large modern house, good barns and corrals. Ideal ranch for hogs and cattle. This property is in A1 shape and is offered for exchange for city property or might consider alfalfa ranch.

STANFORTH & YEARIN
1229 Eye St. Phone 446.

KING ALFALFA

40 acres solid to alfalfa; a fine place for your hungry cows this winter. Reasonable price and terms. Submit house, lots or cash as first payment.

O. W. DAVIS REALTY CO.
228 Cory Building

HIGHLY improved twenty or forty acres east of Fresno. Will sell $500 first payment or take city property in trade.

R. S. THOMPSON CO.
1149 J Street. Phone 169.

FINE brick business block on good corner, close in town. Trade for country property. Further particulars and photo at office. Submit.

SUNSET REALTY COMPANY
1930 Mariposa St.

O'LEARY WILL TRADE

Wheeler Will Swap

See either man, the money all goes in the same pocket.

40 Acres alfalfa, near good town; good buildings. Will be sold at a bargain, or will trade for good clear raw land.

20 Acres right near Fresno; house, barn, etc.; good land. Price $6500. Want Fresno property.

40 Acres, mostly alfalfa, no buildings, for sale at $4000, and not far from Fresno.

Yes, sir, we trade houses for land, and land for houses. We get results. Call, write or Phone 3308.

MIKE O'LEARY & WHEELER
(The Men Upstairs). 1149 J Street.

"WE MAKE ALL KINDS OF EXCHANGES"

Anything, anywhere. If you have something to swap, bring it to us. These are Fresno bargains:

$2,200—6-room modern bungalow, Arlington Heights. Submit lots.

$1,350—10 acres in Tranquillity, worth $2,000. Submit $500 cash.

$1,400—4 lots, close to the Normal school; mortgage $600. Will trade for equity in house.

$6,000—A beautiful 8-room residence and 7 lots in north part. Will sell on very easy terms.

10 Acres close to town. Submit Los Angeles lots.

275 Acre mountain ranch; clear. Will trade for business property and assume. We offer these in the east. Now what have you?

Two good old Missouri farms, two in Michigan, one in Canada, two truck patches in Florida and eight lots in Lampasas, Texas.

We have a thousand other exchanges to offer you. Come in and swap. We can match you. Trading is our trade.

A. B. MONTGOMERY & CO.
Phone 3851. Room 25, Temple Bar Bldg.

EXCHANGE.

$6,000—20 acres sold Muscats, 8 years old, 5 miles out; 6 h. p. pumping plant, 3,000 trays, one horse, no mortgage. Owner will accept $2,500 to $3,000 bungalow first payment; easy terms on balance. You will have to hurry on this one.

70 acres, clear, fine land, 40 alfalfa, 8 peaches, 8 apricots. Good six-room house. Want improved Los Angeles or Eastern land.

We have all kinds of exchanges. See us.

KIRK & STONE
Phone 429. 1943 Fresno Street.

$10,000 equity in improved 40 acre place, famous Parlier district. Wants grocery business.

One $3,100 and one $4,500 clear city property, both want to make first payment on 20 or 40 acre vineyard.

Fresno income property bringing $325 per month. Submit 80 or 160 acre vineyard.

Have client with $1,500 cash to pay on good 10 or 20 acres of alfalfa with some stock.

GEO. F. BROWN
1301 Eye St. Phone 969.

SUBURBAN home for exchange or will rent furnished; good proposition. Phone 2735-J.

FOR SALE—or trade, 5-acre suburban home; good building. Phone 3067-J.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Equity in 20 acres. Will take lots or auto. Address M. C., Box 24, Republican.

A MODERN seven room cottage, situated on a corner lot, less than three blocks from high school, two blocks from car line. I will consider a first class automobile or a smaller piece of property as part payment. Address Box 248.

CLEAR lot in Los Angeles, value $1000, for equity in Fresno or automobile. P. O. Box 2468.

FOR EXCHANGE—My 18 acres near Cutler, improved 7-room house, pumping plant and ditch water right. Will take good auto as first payment, balance easy terms. Call 4255 or address J. M. Hacock, 702 Fourth St., Fresno.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

40 Acres solid stand heavy alfalfa, cut 300 tons, good buildings, pumping plant; $250 per acre. Will take $2000 cash, balance easy terms, or will accept Fresno city residence property up to $6000 as first payment.

WELLS REALTY CO.
2034 Tulare St.

FOR EXCHANGE—Clear Santa Monica Beach apartments, income $135 per month. Price $10,000. Want Fresno property, houses preferred. Prefer to deal with owners. Chas. D. Hoy, 617 So. Hill St., Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE OR TRADE

One Kelley 4½ ton truck; one Little Giant 1-ton truck; one Chase ½-ton truck. See J. C. Phelan, 1416 I St.

40 ACRE vineyard, close to Fresno, good producer, well equipped. Trade for city property, mortgages or smaller vineyard.

PETTEY & MORTON
Phone 1969. 1033 J St.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Rooming house; best bargains in town. Phone 1847-J.

I HAVE six large work mules. Want to exchange for good milch cows. M. C., Box 39, Republican.

FOR EXCHANGE—Small bungalow as first payment on twenty acres near Dinuba; must be at least 10 acres bearing vineyard.

WELLS REALTY CO.
2034 Tulare St.

FOR EXCHANGE—Two cottages on L St.; clear for 10 of 15 acres vines and alfalfa, with or without buildings. California Home & Land Co., 1913 Mariposa St.

FINE paying business for exchange; wants house and lot close in, clear, value $2200. Address O. A. Hard, Kingsburg, Cal.

Coast Real Estate

FOR SALE—In Santa Cruz, on Mission Hill near new high school, 6-room bungalow, sleeping porch, every modern convenience; garage, etc. Very desirable. Price reasonable and terms to suit. Address Owner, Box 74, Santa Cruz, Cal.

WEST SIDE LANDS

WEST SIDE LAND.

320 Acres, 5 miles west of Mendota. Address Isaac Myer, Firebaugh.

WEST SIDE LANDS—See Al Braverman.

Business Opportunities

HERE are some snaps in business propositions:

Stock of groceries, fixtures and furniture for five living rooms, all for $1250; worth $1750.

Millinery stock and fixtures, all for $750, worth $1500. This is in a good live town and they have plenty of business and have the best of reasons for wishing to sell.

Department store. Will invoice about $12,000. Will exchange for a ranch. This store is doing a good business and is in a live town.

$20,000 Hardware stock in one of the best little towns in this state. The only hardware stock in the town. Will take part trade and the balance can be arranged to suit the buyer.

We have a client who wants a garage or blacksmith shop in some town near Fresno. He has good mountain ranch and some money to exchange for what he wants.

These are only a few of the many business propositions that we have for sale and exchange.

We are the headquarters for all business propositions.

J. E. MOORE CO.
1913 Fresno St., Fresno. Phone 3332.

We have a client who has money and he wants to buy a 5, 10 and 15 cent store. Must be in a good town, but will take it in any part of the San Joaquin Valley.

J. E. MOORE CO.

WANTED—Partner in big paying proposition; state agency; half interest; about $1500 required. M. A., Box 58, Republican.

WANTED—Man with $750 cash to take interest in business in Fresno and receive $90 per month and share in proceeds. R. J., Box 61, Republican.

FOR SALE—Restaurant in Riverdale, in a wide-awake town; leaving on account of other business. Address Box 103, Riverdale, Calif.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—By owners, saloon, good location, good business, cheap rent. Will consider part in clear real estate. Will consider monthly payments if secured by real estate or will consider part cash, balance monthly. A chance to get a good business and make it pay for itself. Address P. O. Box 542, Fresno.

APARTMENT house, one block from Court House. Owner leaving town. Phone 2124.

FINE garage with established business; best location, good equipment, long lease, cheap rent. A chance for a live wire to make real money. J. C. Phelan, Mono and Van Ness boulevard.

LUNCH counter for sale; good location and good business. Box 653, Coalinga, California.

SMALL rooming house for sale at a bargain; doing good business. 958 Eye St.

FOR SALE by S. A. Tyler of Del Rey, two shares of California Associated Co. stock at $75 per share.

FOR SALE—Cigar store, fine location, reasonable rent and long l

FINAL HEARINGS OF OIL CASES ARE BEGUN HERE

Suit to Recover Title to Oil Property Worth Millions of Dollars

M'CUTCHEON CASE IS BEING HEARD

Discovery of Gas Sufficient to Establish Location Says Defense

The taking of evidence on the first block of six cases in the Federal government's suits to secure the title to oil lands in the Maricopa Flat was begun in the special session of the Federal court which convened before District Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe yesterday.

Before the close of the year the government suits will have covered practically all of the valuable oil lands in the Midway, Coalinga and McKittrick districts, which are appraised at over $232,000,000.

The case on trial at the present time is that of The United States of America vs. G. W. McCutchen, et al. It is believed that the taking of evidence will occupy at least the remainder of the week.

Since the case began over two years ago, the government has gradually worked toward a final hearing in equity. Because of the large amount of money involved, a district judge has been appointed by the U. S. Attorney General to hear the evidence, instead of having it given before a special commissioner. At the conclusion of the present evidence taking, the case will in all probability be transferred to Los Angeles for a decision.

Government's Contention

The Federal government, represented by E. J. Justice, special prosecutor under the U. S. Attorney General, contends that the oil lands in the present cases were filed upon subsequent to the withdrawal act of September 27, 1909, by President Taft. The validity of this withdrawal, which was at first questioned but has been sustained by the Supreme Court of the United States, in an appeal from the decision of Judge Dooling of San Francisco.

G. W. McCutcheon, et al—which includes some thirty defendants—declare that the land was filed prior to the withdrawal, and that gas in sufficient quantities to constitute a "discovery" was found prior to September 27, 1909, although the actual discovery of oil did not come until later. The defence contends that the discovery of gas is sufficient to establish a mineral location.

Yesterday several witnesses were placed upon the stand by attorneys for the oil companies, to show that a large quantity of gas had been found at a depth of 185 feet, and that the well had been sunk to a depth of 1200 feet before the withdrawal act was signed by former President Taft.

Evidence Contradicted

This evidence was in direct contradiction to that of witnesses placed on the stand by attorney Justice to show that the oil companies had hired men to live on the property, and that no discoveries of gas or mineral had been made to the time of the withdrawal act. Geologists were called upon for expert testimony, to show that gas could be found at the depths mentioned by the first witnesses.

Sat Other Cases Today

The five other cases now before the court will be set by Judge Bledsoe today, if the several attorneys do not agree to a stipulation on the evidence and the decision. The McCutchen case has a different though somewhat similar state of facts to the others. The remaining five have been stipulated to a large decree and may be heard on briefs.

The cases of the other five are U. S. of America, vs. Midway Northern, et al., final hearing in equity; U. S. of America, vs. Consolidated Midway Oil Company, et al., final hearing in equity; U. S. America, vs. American Oil Fields Company, Ltd., et al, final hearing in equity. All of these cases will either be stipulated today at 10 o'clock or will be set for hearing.

The case of the U. S. of America vs. David Kinsey, et al, was transferred to Los Angeles for trial on December 26 by Judge Bledsoe yesterday morning.

In the Kinsey case, the government charges that the entries in the oil properties were made through fraud, in that the claims were taken out by individuals for a corporation.

Three other cases were announced for hearing yesterday morning. The government in these asks for injunction and receivers for the properties. They are the Devils Den Consolidated Oil Company, et al., the Chanslor-Canfield Midway Oil Company, et al, and the American Oil Fields Ltd. et al. The Devils Den Consolidated Oil Company case has been set for Monday, October 25.

BUILDING TRADES MEET

Members of the Fresno Building Trades Council held their regular meeting in Union hall last night. Only routine matters came up.

CITY TRUSTEES IN SESSION

'PHONE FRANCHISE TURNED OVER TO COMMITTEE

No Provision Made for Free City Telephones in New Franchise

Ordinance Committee Will Go Over Matter Wednesday Night

Without any discussion or comment the city trustees last night referred the franchise for the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company to the ordinance and franchise committee and it will be gone over tomorrow night at a meeting of the committee in the offices of Lewis H. Smith, city attorney. Maynard Bailey, district superintendent for the Fresno division, was present at the meeting last night but as the proposed renewal franchise was not discussed he did not have anything to say.

The franchise with a $300 certified attached was filed with the city clerk yesterday afternoon and was presented at the meeting of the trustees. The franchise is the same as the one presented at the last meeting, so the telephone officials have assured the city trustees, and the only question that is now involved is that of furnishing free telephones to the city. The telephone company, so far, has failed to assure the city officials, that free telephones will be furnished the city.

A communication from J. W. Gilkyson, division commercial superintendent of the telephone company, called attention to the Broughton Act, which provides for the sale of franchises by municipalities and makes provisions for granting them. This explanation was made in order to show why the company had not put up its check when the last franchise was submitted.

To Light "Dark Block."

Steps toward lighting the "dark block" on J street were taken last night when a motion was carried to place J street from Merced to Tuolumne and the south side of Tuolumne street from I to J within the electrolier system.

Thompson Brothers, contractors, were granted 60 days' extension in the grading of Fresno avenue.

The petition of Granillo & Parra for a class A restaurant liquor license at 1524 Kern street was denied on recommendation of Mayor Snow and the chief of police.

New Lights Installed.

George Boles of the light committee reported that he had been notified by the San Joaquin Light & Power company that the 73 lights taken from the business district to make way for the electrolier system were now in use in different parts of the residence district.

Boles also presented the petition of 15 property owners in Fresno Heights for water service. He said that the water company had agreed to furnish water. No action was taken.

The city clerk was instructed to notify the board of education that they had not fulfilled their agreement in grading two blocks on Glenn avenue now that Dearborn avenue had been closed.

Mayor Snow's stenographer was granted an increase in salary from $40 to $50 a month. She receives this for doing the city's work.

On motion of Trustee Waterman, the matter of renaming and renumbering the city streets was deferred until further conference with the postmaster. The matter of fastening the street signs to the electroliers was also discussed. No action was taken.

J. J. Phillips on behalf of the Fresno companies of the National Guards appeared before the trustees and asked for a donation in order to help furnish the new armory. He said that it would cost $2,000, and that $500 had already been secured. He did not specify any amount from the city.

The petition for a motion picture theater in a church on south F street was denied as it was held that the building was not safe.

The appointment of W. A. Conn as a member of the board of education was confirmed.

No action was taken on the bill of C. E. Edwards, former patrolman, for $629.35 as alleged back salary due from the city.

The matter of abandoning the Roeding-Stitt ditch through Roeding Park was referred to the city attorney for an opinion. All of the property owners along the old ditch, with the exception of one, have relinquished all claim to their right for water.

Recommendation for the purchase of 3000 feet of 2 1-2 fire hose at 75 cents per foot and 1000 feet of 1 1-2 inch hose at 60 cents per foot was affirmed.

A resolution was passed that application for additional deputies, increase in salaries, transportation, for use of city streets or alleys should be referred to the respective committees for report and not be acted upon by the trustees at the meeting at which application is made.

PLAN BUILDING TO HOUSE FRESNO'S UNEMPLOYED

City Trustees to Meet in Special Session Thursday Night

Relief Society Wants $1000 to Erect Temporary Shelter

The first step toward the city's part in caring for the unemployed for the coming winter was taken last night at the meeting of the city trustees when they decided to hold a special meeting Thursday night at which time they will consider Louis Gundelfinger's plea for $1000 on behalf of the Fresno Relief Society. The money, if donated by the city, will be used to erect a building in which to house the unemployed during the winter months. It was pointed out that the situation was now becoming acute and that immediate steps must be taken in order to be in a position to alleviate the suffering that is bound to come this winter. The city trustees are undecided as to whether it would be feasible to donate the sum and erect a temporary building on rented property or to give a larger sum and put up a substantial building that can be used for other purposes after the structure is no longer needed for the unemployed. If a substantial building is erected it will be on city property. It is for the purpose of discussing these matters that the special adjourned session has been called for Thursday evening at 7:30 at the city hall. The city committee from the Fresno Relief Society will meet with the trustees.

Louis Gundelfinger acted as spokesman for the committee from the Relief Society. He pointed out that quarters had not been secured for the coming winter and that it was impossible to rent a building as cheaply as they did the hay barn at Fresno and H streets last year. Mr. Gundelfinger, in order to show that the situation was already serious, said that exactly 200 men applied at the employment bureau Monday for work but that there were jobs for only thirteen of them.

Care Will Lessen Crime

"Sheriff McElwain and Chief of Police Goelring have assured me that the caring for the unemployed last year lessened crime," said Mr. Gundelfinger. "We should take the same steps this year as it is much better to care for the unemployed at first than to hire extra patrolmen to run down the criminals.

"We think that $1000 will purchase sufficient lumber to erect the building that we have figured on. According to our plans the building will be 50x150 and possibly will have a deck for bunk purposes. We can secure property near Fire Engine House No. 3, on the outskirts of Chinatown, and where we have sewer connections.

Carpenters Donate Services

"The members of the Carpenters' Union have agreed to donate their services, so we shall be at no expense for labor in the erection of the building. We also hope to induce the plumbers to aid us. We are not only asking the city for help but will also ask the board of supervisors for a larger donation for maintenance."

It this point in the meeting Trustee Irwin moved that the request for $1000 be granted. The motion was seconded by George Waterman. Then more discussion took place and finally no vote was taken upon the matter.

Trustee Cobb remarked that he wanted to know more about what kind of building would be constructed. He suggested that the trustees investigate the matter more fully and see if a building could not be erected upon city property so that it could be used for a storehouse for the city machinery after it was not needed for the unemployed.

G. L. Aynesworth spoke at length upon the work that the Fresno Relief Society planned on doing this winter. W. M. McDaniel explained that the society had a block in view off Fresno street on E street but that they would accept any site recommended by the city.

The trustees are in favor of having the building erected on the city property at Tulare and A streets and there the matter stood when it was decided to take it up again at the special meeting Thursday night.

NORMAL SENIORS ADOPT CLASS PIN

Adhering to school tradition, the seniors adopted the pin heretofore used as the Normal school pin, as their class emblem, changing only the numerals.

Upon the advice of Mr. Wahlberg, the school financial advisor, the class dues were fixed at 50 cents for senior B's and $1 for senior A's.

The class voted to give a reception to the junior class, but the date was not fixed, although it probably will be in about two weeks. The initiation of the juniors into school activities will be one of the striking features of the reception and promises to afford much merriment.

President Ripple Mittenthal appointed the following committees:

Program—Frances Ford, Ellen Young, Zoe Vanderburgh, Emma Tyler, Eugenia Erwin, Mr. Hirschler, Clyde McNew, Hester Sparkman.

Reception—Ruth James, Blanche Jones, Ruth Ewers, Helen Drath, Blanche Yore.

Refreshments—Buena Cobb, Cora Leonard, Phoebe Smith, Alice Butler, Tillie Johnson.

HELLO, NEIGHBOR TOUR TO EAST SIDE PLAN OF BOOSTERS

Towns On New Santa Fe Branch to Be Visited Soon

BOOSTERS PLAN DAY ON LOOP

Excursion Special to Be Backed By All Local Business Men

A "Hello, Neighbor" tour of the east side towns located on the recently completed Santa Fe branch by the business men of Fresno is being planned for the near future by the local commercial organizations, according to Secretary Patterson of the Merchants' Association. Final arrangements for the excursion will very likely be in the hands of the Fresno Boosters' Association, which will have the solid backing of the Merchants' Association, Chamber of Commerce, Commercial Club and the Traffic Association.

A special train will be provided for the excursion and all business men and their families will be expected to take the trip. Although no definite date has been set for the tour, it will probably be about the middle of next month. The train will leave Fresno in the early morning and will return in the early evening. Stops will be made at nearly all of the towns on the circuit. The routing out of Fresno will be by Del Rey, Parlier, Reedley, Navelencia, Orange Cove, Orosi, Seville, Exeter and Lindsay. The train will probably return by the Alta district, following a two-hour stop-over at Lindsay.

Come, Get Acquainted

For some time the people on the east side have been urging the local organizations to form an excursion to call at all the towns in the section, giving the residents an opportunity to become acquainted with the Fresno business men. Patterson said yesterday that the east side has been developing so fast during the last few months that the average Fresno citizen will be surprised to see it. In the vicinity of Orange Cove, he says hardly any of the recent settlers have built homes that have cost less than $3000.

Throughout the foothill region the recent settlers have set out large orange and lemon groves and are in a position to farm on a scale not surpassed by any other section of the San Joaquin Valley. Efforts are being made to make Wahtoke Lake one of the leading resort in this part of California, while Mt. Campbell, which will be visited by the excursionists, is said to be crowned with very attractive scenery.

Hospitality Extended

As all of the towns to be visited wish to entertain the "Hello Neighbor" glad-handers with a luncheon and side trips in automobiles, it is certain some of the courtesies will have to be refused, owing to the fact that the trip will last only one day. Orange Cove has been particularly active in urging its rights to entertain any party of visitors that may round the circuit. The Chamber of Commerce there has written to the local chamber according to William Robertson, declaring that Fresnans will have no room to complain of treatment that awaits them any time they wish to invade that city.

It is argued by local business men that everyone living in the city who can, should make the trip and learn what the east side neighbors are doing. The new road has opened up a new territory which has some of the finest orange producing lands in the state. Already large packing houses and wineries are located in that section and other industries are being established, according to Patterson. A band will accompany the special, and something will be happening all the time, if present plans carry.

The board of directors for the Merchants' Association will take the matter up this morning, while the Commercial Club directors will act on the proposition at noon.

The directors of the other interested organizations will vote their approval of the plan, it is said, at their earliest meetings.

JITNEY DRIVERS HAVE GRIEVANCE

All Towns Want to Charge License; Don't Honor Fresno Tag

The jitney-bus operators can't afford to pay license tax in each city through which they travel and last night E. B. Prettyman brought the matter to the attention of the city trustees and asked that the city of Fresno recognize the license of Selma so that Selma will honor the license issued here.

Prettyman started a ball rolling which will likely result in all of the jitneys being compelled to leave the business streets after they have discharged their passengers.

Mayor Snow suggested that an ordinance be drawn up compelling the jitneys to unload in five minutes after reaching their destination and to load in fifteen minutes when starting on trips. Trustee Jones said that the pavement on J street where the jitneys stand is a disgrace and that the drivers use the street for a garage and repair their cars and spill oil on the walk as well as the street. Trustee Waterman said that the Merchants' Association was drawing up an ordinance that would remedy the condition. The city officials did not take any action.

Prettyman informed the trustees that he paid a license of $12.50 per year in Fresno and that now Selma was going to levy a tax of $7.50 a quarter. Prettyman said this was because jitney drivers from Selma were forced to pay the Fresno license. He said that if Selma succeeded in making him pay the license that all of the other towns through which he passed would do the same.

Every married man and woman should see "The Spendthrift." At Fresno Photo.
—Advertisement.

TEAM STRIKES AUTO— G. K. DANIELS INJURED

Driver of Motor Car Thrown to Pavement—Unconscious at Midnight

A runaway team and wagon of the Valley Transfer Company dashed down Merced street at 12:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon and collided with a motor car driven by George K. Daniels of 103 San Pablo avenue. Daniels was thrown from his auto to the pavement and received concussion of the brain and was unconscious at midnight last night.

P. S. Larkley, driver, had left the team in charge of Ed Grant in the rear of the Black Package Company. The horses became frightened and broke away. They ran down the alley and then turned onto Merced street.

STOP BULGARIAN MONEY ORDERS

The postal department of the government has just received notice from the Italian postal administration, according to the daily postal bulletin received at the Fresno office, that Italy will no longer forward Bulgarian remittances intended for payment in that country, when made by means of international money orders of the United States issue. Postmasters in this country have been advised to refuse the acceptance of these orders.

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Hallowe'en Novelties

—Lunch sets, consisting of 12 plates, 12 napkins, 12 doilies, 1 table cloth, 50c.
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—Crepe paper, 7c roll.
—Pumpkin seals, 10c box.
—Witch seals, 10c box.
—Black cat seals, 10c box.
—Place cards, 25c pkg.
—Mat board pumpkins, 10c.
—Mat board cats, 10c.
—Mat board witches, 10c.
—Post cards, 6 for 5c.
—Paper caps, 5c.
—Scores of other Hallowe'en novelties to select from.

Velvet and Velveteen 50c--$1

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